

GERMANY SIGNS TREATY OF PEACE WITH U. S.

DAIL EIREANN REJECTS BRITISH OFFER

TEXT OF IRISH REPLY IS MADE PUBLIC TODAY

Willing to Negotiate on Principle of Government by Consent of Governed Says De Valera Letter

PROPOSES APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ACT

Puts Responsibility for Continued Warfare Upon the British Government

LONDON, Aug. 26.—By The Associated Press.—The British government's peace proposals were laid before the Dail Eireann, which rejected them unanimously but is willing to negotiate on the principle of government by consent of the governed. The letter, which bears the date of August 24, reads:

Reject Proposals
"The anticipatory judgment I gave in my reply of August 10 has been confirmed. I laid the proposals of your government before the Dail Eireann and by an unanimous vote it has rejected them."

"From your letter of August 13 it was clear that the principle we are asked to accept was that the 'geographical propinquity' of Ireland to Great Britain imposed the condition of the subordination of Ireland's rights to Great Britain's strategic interests as she conceived them, and that the very length and persistence of the efforts made in the past to impel Ireland's secession in a foreign domination imposed the condition of acceptance of that domination now."

"We cannot believe that your government intended to commit itself to the principle of sheer militarism, destructive of international morality and fatal to the world's peace. If a small nation's right to independence is forfeit when a more powerful neighbor covets its territory for military or other advantages it is supposed to confer, there is an end to liberty. No longer can any small nation claim the right to separate existence. Holland and Denmark can be made subservient to Germany, Belgium to Germany or to France, Portugal to Spain."

"If nations that have been forcibly annexed to an empire lose thereby their title to independence then can we be for no re-birth to freedom."

British Claim Unjust
"In Ireland's case, in speak of her seceding from a partnership she has not accepted or from an allegiance which she has not undertaken to (Continued on page six)

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity.—Showers tonight. Saturday generally fair. Not much change in temperature.

For Wisconsin.—Unsettled weather with showers tonight and in extreme east portion Saturday. Not much change in temperature.

For Iowa.—Generally fair tonight and Saturday, possibly preceded by showers tonight in east and central portions. Fair afternoon or night. Slightly cooler tonight in west and north central portions.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

Stations	High	Low	24-hour Range
St. Paul	71	50	21
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RIVER FORECAST

There will probably be a slight rise in the river stages in the upper section within the next 48 hours.

RIVER HIGHLIGHTS

Stations	Flow	Height	24-hour Change
St. Paul	14	1.3	+0.3
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NATION-WIDE RECORD

Low Yes	Low No	High Yes	High No
St. Paul	71	50	21
St. Paul	71	50	21
St. Paul	71	50	21
St. Paul	71	50	21
St. Paul	71	50	21

UNION OFFICIALS SEEK TO HALT MINERS' ARMY MARCHING ON TO MINGO

INQUIRY INTO ZR-2 DISASTER WILL BE OPENED SATURDAY

Naval Officer to Represent U. S. at Hearing to be Held at Howden

SKELETON OF AIRSHIP TO BE LIFTED FROM WATERS OF RIVER

Current too Strong to Permit Search for Bodies by Divers

HULL, England.—By The Associated Press.—Two bodies were recovered Friday afternoon from the wreckage of the ill-fated ZR-2. One was identified as that of Albert L. Loftin, an American mechanic, on the airship, and the other of Flight Lieut. Rye of the British crew.

HULL, England, Aug. 26.—Workmen engaged in salvaging the wreckage of the ill-fated ZR-2 from the turbid waters of the Humber, where it fell with its human freight on Wednesday evening, employed powerful cranes Friday to lift the skeleton of the airship. It was believed that as soon as the twisted and tangled framework of the dirigible was raised, it would be possible to recover the bodies of many of the men who died when the draught of the air collapsed and caught fire.

The work of lifting the wreckage was a Herculean task for, in addition to the great weight of the framework and the ponderous gondolas carrying the driving machinery, the swift current of the river had already begun to cover the immersed ruins with deposits of sand. Divers who went down into the ruins Thursday found the current was so strong that their work was retarded by great danger and they finally declined to take further chances beneath the water.

River men believed that the bodies of some of the victims had been borne away by the tide or the river's current.

Official inquiry into the cause of the disaster will begin Saturday morning at Howden, where the ZR-2 was stationed. The United States will be represented by a naval attaché who will sit with the court. There seemed to be a general agreement today that the accident was caused by the collapse of the longitudinal girders in the middle of the ship, but it was expected that experts would be able to determine with some degree of accuracy the reason for the tragedy when they have before them the metal parts of the huge ship.

WOULD ABOLISH PLAN OF FIXING WAGES ON LIVING COSTS BASIS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—The American Federation of Labor seeks to abolish the practice of fixing wages solely on a basis of the cost of living.

The federation's executive council Thursday had virtually decided to undertake an investigation to develop a new policy by which workmen would also be rewarded for their social usefulness and productivity.

U. S. TO DISPOSE OF LIQUOR TAKEN UNDER DRY LAWS

WASHINGTON.—Immediate disposition of liquors seized under the national prohibition act on which storage charges are accruing, was ordered Friday by Prohibition Commissioner Haynes.

FEDERAL COURT AT SUPERIOR ADJOURNS

SUPERIOR, Wis.—The federal district court term here closed Thursday. Jurymen were dismissed and left for their homes.

What was expected to be a long drawn-out term was shortened considerably because of postponement of the trials of the former saloonkeepers of Hurley, Wis. Only four of the men had been indicted by the grand jury and petitions are under advisement by Judge Luse to have the evidence against the men suppressed on ground of defective search warrants. If the petitions are granted it also will effect the cases of the entire 57 saloonkeepers who were arrested in the raid on the town December 28, 1920.

U. S. TROOPS HELD IN READINESS TO PUT DOWN TROUBLE

Five Thousand in Army Marching to Mingo to Protest Martial Law Proclamation

MADISON, W. Va.—By The Associated Press.—The advance guard of the marching miners on their way from Marmet to Mingo as a protest against Governor Morgan's martial law was turned back by Charles F. Keeney, president of District No. 17 United Mine Workers, and Fred Mooney, secretary, after it had passed through Madison, shortly after noon today.

The men numbering some 300 or 350, had camped in a hollow here for dinner and then pressed on their way toward the Logan county line.

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—Frank Keeney, district president of the United Mine Workers, and Secretary Fred Mooney, left here in a motor car on Thursday for the camp of the marching miners in Boone county, with the announced intention of advising the army to abandon its march to Mingo county without delay. This step was taken after Keeney and Mooney had conferred with Brigadier General Bandholtz, United States army, who arrived Friday morning to investigate the situation under orders from the war department.

General Bandholtz reached Charleston early in the day and got into communication with Governor Morgan. A conference was arranged at the governor's office and took place about daybreak. The governor, it is stated, laid the situation growing out of the march of miners before General Bandholtz. Later General Bandholtz communicated with President Keeney and Secretary Mooney and asked that they, with Harold Houston, attorney for the United Mine Workers, meet him at the camp.

Troops Ready to March

CHILLICOTHE, Ohio.—Regular army troops numbering between 500 and 600, including 150 who arrived early in the day from Columbus barracks, were held in readiness shortly before noon Friday to leave Camp Sherman for the West Virginia coal fields. Railroad coaches were ready for transportation and the men under full field equipment, were prepared to depart immediately upon receipt of orders.

Marchers in Good Spirits

PEYTONA, W. Va.—The first of the marching body of men who camped Thursday night at Racine, five miles east of here and who say they are going through Boone and Logan counties to Mingo, began passing through Peytona shortly before 9 a. m. Friday. They marched in good order and seemed to be in excellent spirits after their rest at Racine.

There was no disorder as the long column wound along the road through the hills.

It was observed that while there were many negroes in the column, the majority were white men with a sprinkling of foreigners.

Protest Martial Law

RACINE, W. Va.—The 5,000 or more men who are marching from Marmet to Mingo county in protest against Governor Morgan's martial law, broke camp here soon after 8 o'clock Friday morning and took the state highway to Madison. They said they expected to reach Peytona, a village of 200, in time for their mid-day meal.

The camp, which spread around this little town through the Indian Creek valley, was alive bright and early, and camp fires blazed brightly during the night which had fled as the men prepared their breakfast. There was no haste, but each group moved as though it had specific instructions to get under way with all possible speed.

No Looting Reported

The vanguard, far up Indian Creek from Racine, was in motion early, but it was about 8 o'clock before the main body of marchers was on the move. There was still no apparent leader but certain ones sprang up in different sections of the camp who appeared to have the direction of certain numbers of men. These they formed into a ragged line, and as the parties to the west of them took to the road they fell in behind. It was estimated by observers that the entire camp would be emptied by 10 o'clock, not counting (Continued on page six)

AMERICAN LEGION SEEKS ANSWERS TO CLAIM CARD DRIVE

Commander Strehl Asks Service Men to Reply Whether They Have Claims or Not

MINNESOTA FIRST STATE TO START "CLEAN-UP" WORK

Squad: Here Next Monday to Hear Claims

ANSWERS to cards sent out by Roy L. Vingers Post, American Legion, and the Red Cross, seeking to bring to light claims of service men against the War Risk Insurance bureau, are urgently asked for by Commander William C. Strehl, of Roy L. Vingers post.

As part of the preparatory plans for the coming of the "Clean-Up Squad" of the war risk bureau to La Crosse to hear claims on August 28, and continuing for four days, the American Legion and Red Cross have undertaken to get in touch with every service man in La Crosse, Vernon, Monroe and Juneau counties and urge them to present their claims now. Cards were enclosed in the letter of instructions on presenting claims, asking that the card be returned to the American Legion, whether the recipient had a claim or not. Commander Strehl says that if the cards are all returned it will simplify matters considerably and give the Legion and "Clean-Up Squad" some idea of the number of claims to be heard.

Minnesota Starts Campaign

In the current issue of the American Legion Weekly, just received here, an article devoted to an exposition of the plans and details of arranging for the clean-up of claims, says:

"The necessity for organized state campaigns to aid the disabled became obvious when the vast number of claims being brought to light by individual posts gave rise to the strong surmise that there were thousands of disabled veterans who had been overlooked, who were not aware that they possessed just claims against the government."

"The Minnesota, department (American Legion) was one of the first to conduct a clean-up campaign. Early in the spring the department sent traveling representatives throughout the state in company with agents of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, the Bureau of War Risk Insurance and the Public Health Service. In the towns visited by this squad, claims of ex-service men were examined and many of them approved on the spot. Many veterans whose applications for training were approved were given immediate transportation to cities where training was available. Others were sent direct from the examiners of the squad to the nearest government hospitals. Everywhere local posts assembled claimants on the day of the traveling squad's arrival."

Other Campaigns Follow

"The Minnesota campaign was followed by similar campaigns in Nebraska, Montana and North Dakota. Meanwhile successful campaigns were being conducted in Illinois, New York and several other departments. In Illinois 18,000 claims had been brought forward in three months in a statewide drive in which house-to-house canvasses were made in a number of cities. The Women's Auxiliary of the Illinois department assisted in the campaign, making special efforts to see that claims of disabled men in hospitals were given official attention. A census was taken of all disabled men in hospitals and their names and claims were listed in a card-index record."

"The New York department long has had a full time service officer and field agents who have been steadily working to find and assist disabled men whose claims have not been adjusted. An investigating committee of the New York department has rendered invaluable service to the cause of the disabled by arousing public opinion after revealing conditions in the state."

Washington's Success

"The Washington department's clean-up efforts have been unusually successful because of a state appropriation of \$500,000 for veteran welfare work. The service department of the legion supervised loans, employment bureaus and the prosecution of claims. Field representatives were sent out to every county seat for conferences with post commanders and adjutants. As in many other states, a hospitalization committee (Continued on page six)

MATHIAS ERZBERGER ASSASSINATED SAYS BERLIN DISPATCH



MATHIAS ERZBERGER

BERLIN.—By The Associated Press.—Mathias Erzberger, former vice premier and minister of finance, was murdered Friday.

Herr Erzberger was assassinated near Offenbach, Baden, where he was sojourning with his family. His body contained twelve bullet wounds.

Herr Erzberger had left Bad-Griesbach, where he was taking the cure, in company with the reichstag Deputy Diez, for a foot tour of the Black Forest. An hour later both men were confronted by two youths who separated them and then emptied revolvers into Herr Erzberger, who was killed instantly by shots in the head. Deputy Diez was wounded.

WESTBY AUTO DRIVER APPEALS HUNT'S JAIL SENTENCE, \$100 FINE

Albert Skolas Obtains Release on \$500 Bail Pending Decision of Circuit Court

Albert Skolas, sentenced to 20 days in jail and fined \$100 on charges of driving an automobile while in an alleged intoxicated condition, has appealed from Police Justice Hunt's disposition of the case. The circuit court will now pass on Judge Hunt's sentence. In the meantime, Skolas will be at liberty, having obtained his freedom Thursday afternoon on \$500, furnished by L. Bekkedahl of Westby.

Skolas was arrested Monday after he had run down a woman at Ponrath and Main streets, knocking her to the pavement and then knocking a boy off a bicycle and fracturing his leg.

OPERATORS OF BALL POOLS ORDERED TO RETURN THE MONEY

KENOSHA, Wis.—With a city series of baseball games which attracted 12,000 people to the opener on Thursday, just under way, all operators of baseball pools were called before the district attorney Friday morning and it is declared that they were ordered to pay back thousands of dollars collected from investors and put an end to the pools at once. It was said that immediate prosecution would follow if the pools were not disbanded. It was said that thousands of people had invested in a single pool where the capital prizes amounted to more than a thousand dollars.

PREDICTIONS FOR SEVERE WINTER ARE MADE BY INDIANS

BIRCHWOOD, Wis.—According to Chippewa Indians on Lake Count Ojibwa, Chippewa Indian reservation, near here, the coming winter will be the most severe in years. The Indians base their predictions on the thickness of animal pelts, thickness of animal houses and preparations being made by wild animals for the winter.

JAP TENNIS STARS WIN IN DAVIS PLAY

NEWPORT, R. I.—Kumagae and Shimidzu, the Japanese pair, defeated the Australians, Anderson and Todd, in the first match in the Davis cup doubles here Friday by a score of 6-4. The second set went to Anderson and Todd, 6-4.

ARREST CLEARS UP ONE AUTO THEFT MYSTERY IN CITY

Ford Roadster of Paul Gelf is Recovered at Baraboo Following Arrests Here

TWO BROTHERS AND GIRL HELD AT POLICE STATION

Detective McGrath Responsible for Recovery of Car

DETECTIVE MCGRATH and officers of the local police department made a spectacular arrest of three alleged auto thieves involved in the theft of the Ford roadster of Paul Gelf, employee at the Wisconsin motors company, Wednesday evening, August 17.

Two brothers, Warren and Herron Wyman, together with a girl giving her name as Irene Smith, are being held at Central station pending further action and possible identification in additional thefts of automobiles from the city. It was said at Central station Friday morning.

Recovered at Baraboo
The machine was recovered through clever detective work on the part of Detective McGrath and the co-operation of authorities at Baraboo, at which place the roadster was found.

According to the report at police headquarters, the trio had stolen the car here last week, driving to Baraboo where the car was traded for an Overland. Information regarding the theft reached the police at Baraboo and subsequently here following the report of a farmer living in the neighborhood of Baraboo where the Overland car had been left when the party was unable to go on after experiencing motor trouble.

Learn Description
Description of the parties learned here through Baraboo authorities led to the arrest of Warren Wyman and Irene Smith, registered at a local lodging house as "Carl Smith and wife." Following the arrest of the girl made possible the subsequent arrest of Herron Wyman, brother, who was scheduled to arrive in the city at a specified time and meet the other two at Second and Pearl street, according to the police. Herron Wyman was arrested upon his arrival and brought to Central station.

A report at Central station indicated that the girl may not be implicated in the alleged theft of the machine, but is being held for the purpose of obtaining possible connection of the two brothers with similar auto thefts in the city and elsewhere. The two men claim Freeport, Illinois, as their place of residence.

SHOP LABOR REJECTS OVERTIME PAY RULES OF FEDERAL BOARD

CHICAGO, Ill.—Rules governing the payment of overtime rates promulgated by the United States railroad labor board last week to supplant the overtime rules of the national agreement covering shop crafts employees, were rejected as "unjustified" by a conference of removal executive boards of the railway employees department of the American Federation of Labor Friday.

HUTCHINSON AND HAGEN TAKE LEAD IN GOLF TOURNAY

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Jock Hutchinson, British open champion, and Walter Hagen, former national champion, Friday sprang into the lead in the Western Open Golf championship at the end of 54 holes by scoring 37, 36-73 each for a total of 216. This was only one over par on each nine in a severe gale and pleased the large gallery that followed the pair.

BODY OF NEW RICHMOND MILLER FOUND IN RIVER

NEW RICHMOND, Wis.—The body of J. V. McNally, general manager of the New Richmond Roller Mills company, was recovered late Thursday from the Apple river, near a dam seven miles west of here. At a coroner's inquest last night a verdict of accidental drowning was returned. McNally had been missing since Tuesday. A search on Wednesday revealed his automobile near the dam. It was learned that he had gone to the dam to take pictures and it is believed he lost his footing and fell into the water. He was about 50 years old, and is survived by a widow and four daughters, all of New Richmond.

DOCUMENT NOW AWAITS ACTION BY THE SENATE

Efforts to be Made to Secure Ratification at Earliest Moment after Congress Reconvenes

U. S. RESERVES TO ITSELF RIGHTS GRANTED BY VERSAILLES PACT

Also Disclaims Responsibility for League Covenant and Shantung Settlement

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Full title to "all the rights, privileges, indemnities, reparations or advantages" specified for the United States under the unratified treaty of Versailles is reaffirmed in the separate treaty with Germany signed Thursday at Berlin. Both by blanket declaration and specific enumeration the treaty recognizes the claim of the American government to these benefits and at the same time disavows on the part of the United States any responsibility for provisions of the league of nations covenant, the Shantung settlement or the political realignments of Europe. By state department officials the treaty is considered a full settlement, making possible not only a resumption of diplomatic relations but a large measure of commercial intercourse as well through its reaffirmation of the economic and financial concessions of the pact of Versailles.

Seek Early Paction
There was every indication that efforts would be made by the administration to secure senate ratification as soon as possible after congress reconvenes late in September. Such commercial and supplemental treaties, as may be found necessary can then be negotiated through the ordinary diplomatic channels.

With the treaty signed and awaiting senate action there was a renewal of speculation here regarding the issuance of a possible peace declaration to carry into effect the declarations of the congressional peace resolution. No official word indicated whether the proclamation might be expected to precede ratification.

Troops May Stay on Rhine
Another question which remained unanswered related to the probable duration of the American occupation of German territory. No direct mention is made in the treaty of the withdrawal of American troops from the Rhine, though there is a reaffirmation of the section of the Versailles treaty, which permits the recent enemies of Germany to maintain forces on her border at her expense during the period allowed for payment of reparations.

The text of the new treaty defines with unusual brevity the responsibilities of Germany and the rights of the United States as growing out of the war. The title of the United States to benefits described in detail in ten of the fifteen sections of the treaty of Versailles are reaffirmed; it is stated that this government "shall not be bound" by four of the fifteen sections; and one section, that arranging Emperor Wilhelm and demanding trial of violators of the international law is not mentioned at all. Neither is there a specific provision holding Germany responsible for the war, but such a responsibility is implied by the reaffirmation of the reparations section, in whose opening clause Germany accepts responsibility "for causing all loss and damage" resulting from the war.

Representation Optional
While claiming all the privileges of the reparations section as agreed to at Versailles, the United States specifies, in the new treaty that "she is not bound to participate" in the reparations commission unless she shall elect to do so. The same provision is made regarding all other international commissions created under the Versailles treaty.

The text of the treaty, about 1,500 words, is largely devoted to a repetition of the peace resolution, all of whose manifold provisions for preservation of American privileges as recognized at Versailles and for retention of seized German property, are confirmed by Germany. A more specific recognition of all the benefits of the Versailles treaty follows, and then the document makes these stipulations as to the detailed sections of the Versailles pact:

Stipulations of Pact
That the United States specifically shall be endowed with the rights and privileges contained in that portion of part four which gives to the principal allied and associated powers joint title to the German overseas possessions, in part five, which relates to military, naval and air settlements, (Continued on page six)

FARMER BOY IS NOW DIRECTING HEAD OF PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Unsought Honor Bestowed Upon Henry W. Marshall of Lafayette, Ind.

WAS EMPLOYED AS BOOKKEEPER WHEN HE FIRST LEFT THE FARM

Newspaper Man Succeeds Dr. Stone, Killed in Mountains

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—From a farmer boy to vice president and directing head of Purdue university, one of the leading agricultural and engineering universities in the country, is the unsought honor that has been bestowed upon Henry W. Marshall of this city. Mr. Marshall was born near Springfield, O., January 20, 1863, but was reared on a farm near Monticello, Ind. He attended the grade and high schools in the rural district, but his greatest schooling has been in the world of experience.

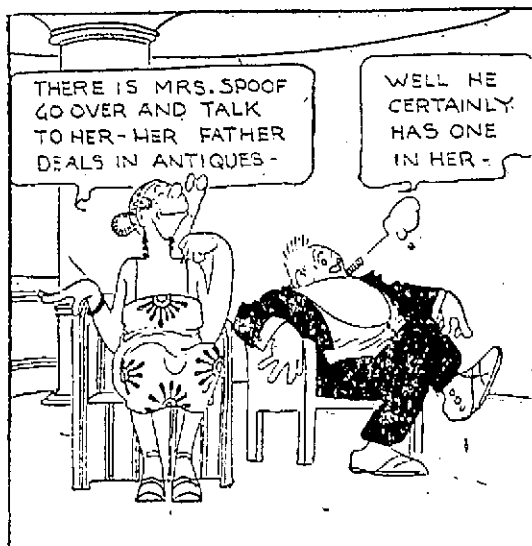
When a coming man, Mr. Marshall left the farm and came to Lafayette. His first employment was as a bookkeeper. He had the intuition of men who do things, however, and it was not long until he was engaged in construction work. He became president of the Lafayette Bridge company, holding that position until it was absorbed by the American Bridge company. He then became president and general manager of the Western Construction company, and for many years was president of the electric light, heat, water and street railway company at Evansville. He disposed of his utility holdings a year ago, also his interest in the construction company.

Mr. Marshall represented Tippecanoe county in the sixty-first, sixty-second and sixty-third general assemblies of the Indiana legislature and during the sixty-third session was speaker of the house. He was vice president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition held at St. Louis in 1904, and presided at the dedication of the Indiana building.

Mr. Marshall entered the field of journalism in 1914, when he purchased the Lafayette Morning Journal. His endeavors met with success and in 1919 he purchased the Lafayette Daily Courier. The publications were consolidated in 1920 and are now known as the Lafayette Journal and Courier. He also owned the Evansville Courier, but disposed of his holdings there in January 1921.

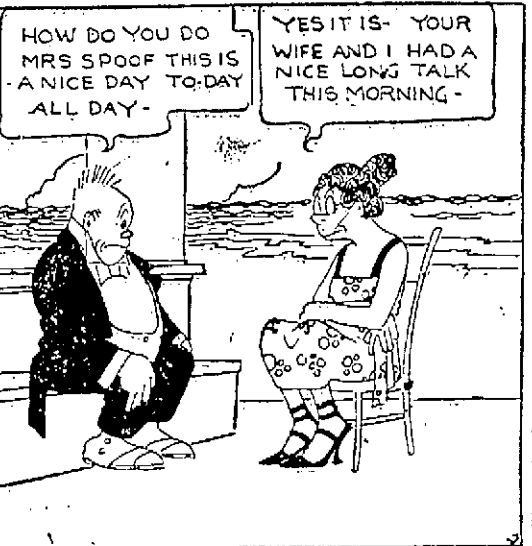
In April, 1921, Mr. Marshall was appointed a member of the board of trustees of Purdue university and later was made chairman of the executive committee. When it came to the knowledge of the trustees that Dr. W. P. Stone, president of Purdue university had lost his life in attempting to climb Mount Everest, in the Canadian Rockies, Mr. Marshall was appointed by Hon. Joseph D. Oliver, of South Bend, President of the board of trustees, to look after the university affairs. At a subsequent meeting of the board of trustees he was unanimously

BRINGING UP FATHER



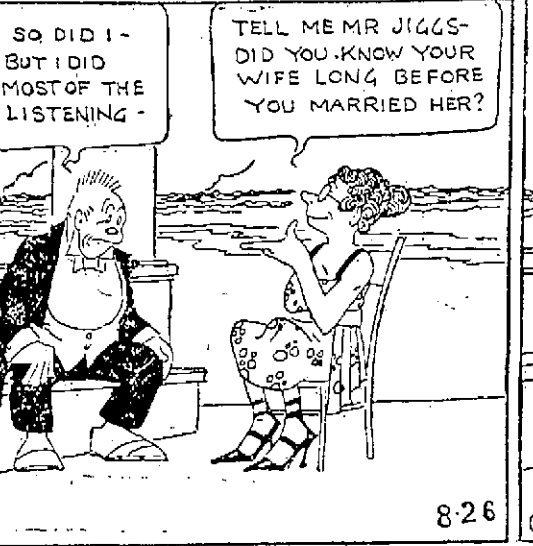
THERE IS MRS. SPOOF GO OVER AND TALK TO HER—HER FATHER DEALS IN ANTIQUES—

WELL HE CERTAINLY HAS ONE IN HER—



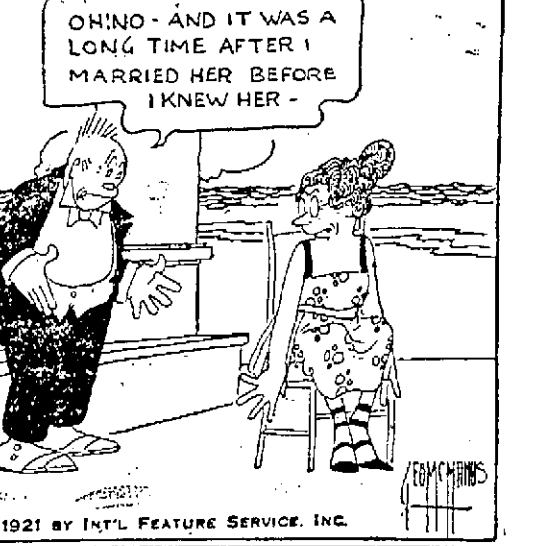
HOW DO YOU DO MRS SPOOF THIS IS A NICE DAY TO-DAY ALL DAY—

YES IT IS—YOUR WIFE AND I HAD A NICE LONG TALK THIS MORNING—



SO DID I—BUT I DID MOST OF THE LISTENING—

TELL ME MR JIGGS—DID YOU KNOW YOUR WIFE LONG BEFORE YOU MARRIED HER?



OH NO—AND IT WAS A LONG TIME AFTER I MARRIED HER BEFORE I KNEW HER—

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monly chosen as vice president of the university with all power and duties of the president. He did not seek the honor, but because of his successful business career, and the urgent need of a business head, the trustees of Purdue insisted that he serve until such time as a president is selected.

TRYING PIDGIN ENGLISH

There was a prominent lawyer in San Francisco who prided himself on his astuteness in questioning Chinese witnesses. He was very near-sighted, however, and on one occasion got into difficulty through failing to notice that a certain Chinese witness was of finer texture than that worn by the ordinary coolie. The following dialogue ensued:

"What is your name?"
"Sui Lung."
"Do you live in San Francisco?"
"Yes."
"Do you savvy God?"
"Mr. Attorney, if you mean to ask whether I comprehend the utility of your Creator, I will merely reply that on next Thursday evening I shall address the State Ministerial association upon the subject of 'The Divinity of Christ,' and I shall be pleased if you will attend." To the day of his death the celebrated lawyer will never escape the question, "You Savvy God?"—Case and Comment.

TRY THIS TRICK

This is a catch to try on anyone. You want a pencil, paper, and piece of rubber near you, or a slate and sixpenny.

Start talking about magic and disappearing tricks, then say, "Well, I know a little about that sort of thing myself. I could make you disappear easily!"

Doubtless they will suggest you prove your words, and then you make a capital U. on the paper, or slate, and rub it out again—and you will have done what you said you would do!

Best Use of It
"A critic should have a good memory," says a writer. That's true; he should never forget that he has faults of his own.—Boston Transcript.

CAMBRIDGE CHEMISTS SUCCEED IN MAKING A SILKEN PURSE OUT OF A SOW'S EAR JUST TO PROVE THE OLD PROVERB IS WRONG

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—A silk purse made from sows' ears, as chemistry's answer to the old saying that it couldn't be done, will be shown at the chemistry exposition in New York during the week of September 12.

In announcing the successful result of experiments, Arthur D. Little, Inc., chemists and engineers of this city, said the silk was not very strong and that there was not present industrial value in the process involved. It was more or less the product of chemistry play, but a contribution also to philosophy in proving the fallacy of the old proverb.

In reciting the factors that entered into the transition of sows' ears from Chicago stockyards to a silk purse such as a woman might carry, the chemists explained that the first step was to analyze the silkworm's method of making silk. This done, its catapillar chemistry was copied in the laboratory.

It was found that man had to provide a substitute for a process by which the silkworm exudes from two

fine ducts in its head minute threads of a viscous liquid coated with another secretion, which are cemented into a double strand. This becomes a firm filament of silk when it coagulates on reaching the air.

Analysis of this viscous liquid showed it to be like glue and with somewhat similar chemical properties. The sows' ear being chiefly gristle and skin, also has the natural elements of glue. This was obtained from the ears and it was put through several processes of preparation, filtered under pressure and placed in spinning apparatus of a special design.

The solution of glue and chemicals came out as 16 very fine colorless streams, joined into one composite fiber, treated to give it strength and color, and processed yet again to obtain the desired soft, silky feel. The weaving followed on a small hand loom, the fabric was formed and the purse made.

Money may make the mare go—or come, or stay—according to the way it talks to the jockey.

"ROAR" OF AN OSTRICH

A lecturer at the London "Zoo" said that very few people knew that an ostrich roared. The roars of an ostrich and a lion were so alike that Dr. Livingstone could never distinguish the difference save by the fact that the bird roared by day and the lion by night.—Scientific American.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

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As soon as the new Revenue Bill goes into effect, Republican leaders in Congress assure us that there will be thirty-five dollars more for every family to spend on food or clothes. In spite of the repeated predictions from government authorities that our tax burdens can only be shifted, not lifted, the House Ways and Means Committee believe they have found the ways and means to make a reduction from the present tax schedules, estimated at from six hundred million dollars to eight hundred million dollars, chiefly by drastic cuts in expenditures with a minimum change in taxation methods. The Republicans—editors and statesmen—are enthusiastic over their success in meeting the great popular demand for a lightening of the tax burden. The Buffalo Express (Rep.) declares a good day's work was done by the Ways and Means Committee in the preparation of this bill. Senator Capper's Topeka Capital (Rep-), which reaches a large rural constituency, says "a bill that reduces taxes by half a billion dollars, abolishes 'nuisance taxes,' cuts travel expenses, and gives relief to heads of large families has a good deal to commend it." The curtailment of expenditures in order to keep taxes down is hailed by the New York Journal of Commerce as the "first great step towards solvency." On the other hand, the Democrats contend that the taxpayers' hopes in this bill are illusory, that the chief beneficiary will be the rich man, and that "to cut taxes by running in debt" is simply a confidence game.

The leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week, August 27th, gives the expressions of approval and disapproval of the press throughout the country on the present tax-lowering efforts of Congress.

Other news-articles of more than ordinary interest are:

Has Henry Ford Performed a Railroad Miracle?

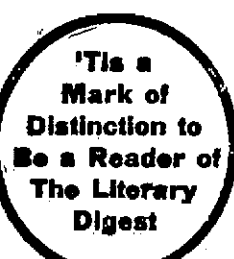
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Scrapping the Treaty of Sevres
Egypt's Rival Leaders
China at the Harding Conference
America's New Super-Zeppelin
The Making of Linoleum
Accounting for the "Crime Wave"
A Temperamental Jeanne D'Arc of the Tennis-Courts

New York City as the World's Prize "Borough of Bunk"
The Life of an Office-Building
More About Cloudbursts
Is the Public Hostile to Science?
Hunting a Leprosy Cure
How Rebuild the Louvain Library?
The Theater in the South
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COMFORT IN SORROW

As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort
you.—Isaiah 66:13. I will not leave you comfortless:
I will come to you.—John 14:18.

War Gains

It has been the fashion to declare the war a failure. And insofar as it was expected by enthusiastic optimists to bring about the millennium automatically, it was. We are still far from the millennium. But unless we are farther from the millennium than we were before the war, it was not a failure.

We adhere to the belief that the war did accomplish something worth-while, that it was not a total loss, that the world has been measurably improved as a result of it. We hold that despite the conspicuous failure to realize upon all the fond hopes of idealists, or even any very large proportion of them, our young men did not suffer and die altogether in vain. We are appreciably nearer the millennium than we were. How far the road may stretch to that far time when the nations shall dwell in peace and amity, when justice and order shall supplant anarchy in the dealings of governments, we cannot know. But we made a stage of the journey in the cataclysm of the great war.

In proof we cite the reception given to the recent failure of the pan-German endeavor to glorify war, elevate the standard of revenge and stir the spirit of the German people to steady hatred of the allies and support of a renewed militarism. "Great crowds," reported the Associated Press, "looked coldly on while thousands of soldiers who fought during the great war marched before General Ludendorff, Prince Eitel Friederich, Count von Waldersee and General von der Goltz. . . . The lack of enthusiasm was notable." It was a damp and soggy fizzle, by all accounts. The German people boomed more than they cheered, hissed more than they applauded. The government forbade its officers to take part. Von Hindenburg sent "regrets". In all it seems to have been significant and important chiefly as the last gasp, and a feeble one at that, of our old acquaintance "German militarism."

Now this is a direct result of the war. It is a mark of the advance which the world gained at cost of the awful struggle; not because Germany was the only militarist nation of the world—she wasn't—but because she was the only one that was frankly and honestly militaristic and has now gotten bravely over it. There is no doubt that in 1914 Germany, the German people, welcomed the war. And there is no doubt that in 1921 the government and public opinion hates the thought of war, distrusts and dislikes the military and its purposes, and it is as determinedly peaceful in its intentions as its kaiser was warlike in 1914. That is a distinct gain for peace, a plainly marked milestone of the journey toward the millennium.

Of course we have far to go. Germany has got the war-germ out of her system, but there are others who have it almost as bad and must get it out of theirs before we arrive. We need disinfecting not a little ourselves, and other of the allies need it obviously more. But there is no longer on the earth, we believe, any people which earnestly and sincerely desires war, or believes that war would be a good thing for its interests. Some "statesmen" may still have vestiges of that idea, but the mass common-sense of the ordinary man knows it for foolishness. And the common-sense of the mass more and more rules—another condition to which the war contributed in large measure.

Distinctly, the war has set us ahead on civilization's path of progress. Distinctly, the world's sacrifice was not in vain.

Why Famine Reigns

AMERICAN papers in general regard the Russian famine as final evidence of the incompetence of soviet government. Some radical publications disagree, tracing it back to czarist rule, and the war. Despite vigorous denunciation of their administrative ability, it can hardly be said with certitude that this catastrophe came because the bolshevik leaders did not do what they were trying to do as well as it might have been done by others. In fact the famine condi-

tion appears to be due to the thing they were trying to do, rather than to the manner in which they undertook it. Food is lacking, not merely because of the crop failure in the Volga country, for that contains but ten million people, but primarily because peasants had no sufficient incentive to raise food abundantly. They had not the stimulus of private industry. Broadly, what they raised in excess of their own consumption went to the government to be used by people the peasants had never seen. Why till more soil, harvest more crops, than one needed, since one got at best no more than one needed? There was no storing up wealth for a rainy day, no accumulations to improve the family's condition in life. Always it would be making and taking crops, with nothing to show for it. And so agriculture fell off, and acreage diminished thirty per cent. Supplies were always thin, and with bad transportation, unevenly distributed, the country was all set for the catastrophe which needed only some such specific disaster as the crop failure of the rich Volga lands. Starvation and chaos followed. And all because man will not work like a machine, to be started and stopped with a button or a lever. Call it sordid though we may, it is human nature that to have is the incentive of doing. Man is egotistical. The big thing in his outlook is what he of right ought to be, and what conditions of comfort and high respect should be his. For these he will work to the limit, but merely to remain what he is he will do no more than earn the day's food and fire and cot. On this basis he saves nothing, accumulates nothing, and so when the day's work fails, he is undone. Thus soviet Russia.

When a man tells his wife he loves her she wonders where he wants to go.

The British dropped salt in the Irish peace dove's eye instead of on its tail.

Immigration shows foreign relations want to become domestic relations.

The best thing about paying compliments is it leaves one due you.

Maybe the tariff can't please all because it has too many duties.

People who jump at conclusions scare the best ones away.

Boys look forward to long trousers; girls to short dresses.

Now it's "Watch your pep."

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Thursday afternoon about three o'clock a special train bearing the president of the Milwaukee road, A. J. Earling, passed through La Crosse. In the special train with Mr. Earling were John D. Rockefeller and his son and several financiers of the east. They went with Mr. Earling to the Winnipeg country to spy out a route, it is said, for the Milwaukee road to tap the rich Canadian country.

Many friends paid their last tribute to Miss E. Dunn, the conductor on the Northwestern railroad who died Tuesday and whose funeral was held at St. Mary's church this morning.

Mary E. Miller sold property in this county to the St. Michael's Orphanage today for \$300.

That the school system of Norway is modeled after that of the United States and that the government of the land of the midnight sun is striving to make the schools as much like those of the new world as possible is the statement made by Olaf R. Skar who returned to La Crosse with his family last week from a long visit in Norway. Mr. and Mrs. Skar went to Norway to bring home their three daughters who have spent a year going to school in Christiania.

La Crosse is soon to be connected directly with Vancouver and various other points in Canada and the northwest. A daily Northern Pacific train known as the Winnipeg flyer will be run between Chicago and Vancouver. Only three stops will be made on the La Crosse division. These will be at La Crosse, Prairie du Chien and Savanna.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

C. N. Hawley will reopen the shoe department at Foster's Department store September first.

With the transfer of Gale college to the Norwegian Lutheran synod the erection of a Presbyterian college in La Crosse is assured. It was authoritatively stated this morning that three wealthy persons in La Crosse have pledged enough money to erect the building. The site has already been bequeathed by the late J. C. Easton.

The Independent Consolidated Telephone company was organized in Milwaukee yesterday. It will absorb many of the independent telephone companies in the state, including the La Crosse and Southeastern. The purpose of the new organization is to furnish long distance communication among cities of the state and to compete with the Bell company. A. H. Law of La Crosse is secretary of the new company.

Congressman Busch is working industriously to induce Secretary of War Root to select Camp Douglas as one of the four sites for the establishment of training quarters of the troops of the regular army and national guard.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A band of Indians went into a yard on State and Ninth streets yesterday and camped there. They stayed in the yard some time and ate several watermelons. Women and children in the neighborhood were somewhat frightened at the proximity of the red men and kept close to their homes.

Fred Ring will go to Portage tomorrow to attend the laying of the corner stone of a Masonic lodge. The ceremonies will be conducted by the grand lodge of the state.

Miss Stokes will fit up the rooms vacated by the shooting gallery as a millinery store.

About four hundred old settlers went to Winona to attend the fair. John M. Levy was the oldest in the crowd.

T. S. Williams, formerly with Schintgen, the ice dealer, has started a dray line. He now has only one team but will add more as the business grows.

Stoltze and Schick are preparing plans for a new house to be built by N. B. Holway on Cass street. The building will be in stone and the style will resemble the French chateau. The ground on which the house is to be built is elevated which will make a good setting for the new house.

ROSE TERRY'S SCHOLARSHIP

When the Browning Society of Tatum gave the "Rose and the Book" to raise funds needed to send a student to Tatum Women's College, there were those among the citizens of Tatum who figured it out that the women had adopted a roundabout way of raising two hundred dollars. Old Si Bradley actually went to figuring about it, and the afternoon before the performance, in the new theater he gave out his opinion that it had cost the folks of Tatum some thousand dollars in cold cash to raise that two hundred.

Just in the Bradley family alone it had cost nearly twenty-five dollars on a conservative estimate. Jenny, Si's daughter, was taking a minor part. She had had to get her own costumes. Not counting the things that she had had to make but could use later these costumes had cost her eight dollars and seventy-three cents. Then she had had to give up two evening music lessons for evening rehearsals and Jenny got a dollar a lesson. That came to over ten dollars.

Then there were tickets for all the Bradley family and a taxi to take Jenny to the dress rehearsal the night before, as it had rained, and Jenny had been so busy over the rehearsals that she hadn't been able to help her mother, so they had had to get in a sewing woman three days to help with the spring sewing. And so it had come altogether by careful figuring to \$23.75. This was barring the possible necessity of a taxi to take Jenny to the play that night, and it looked like rain, as well as the probability that Jenny would be all played out afterward and would need a doctor and medicine.

What Si Bradley was arguing was that it wasn't worth while. If the folks of Tatum wanted to give a scholarship, through the Browning society, they should be assessed just so much. Then there wouldn't have to be any play and he wouldn't have to go through the ordeal of sitting through it.

Roger Maplewood, Mr. Bradley's companion in arms, added his quota of argument against such performances. It would cost even more than Mr. Bradley had figured. For he knew it for a fact that the Wentworths were going to be quite a bit out of pocket. Jim Wentworth was going to take a part and at the last minute he had been called away on business. It couldn't throw the thing over the last minute that way.

So he had to telegraph to some fellow he knew taught English in some college somewhere and knew Browning from A to Z, and get him on to take his place. "This had meant Jim Wentworth had had to pay this professor's carfare and that the Wentworths would have to have company dinners. No, it wasn't worth while.

According to Roger Maplewood there wasn't any reason why the citizens of Tatum should give scholarships anyway. If a girl hadn't enough money to get an education she could go to work in a factory or somebody's kitchen. College educations were for children of the well-to-do, not for poor folk.

This discussion took place aboard the local trolley car of Tatum, and it was audible to the few passengers because Roger Maplewood and Si Bradley always sat on opposite sides of the car and threw their remarks back and forth.

Rose Terry, going from high school to the farmhouse where she worked, was one of the passengers. She was unfortunate. For Rose Terry was the one out of the seventeen or eighteen who had applied for the scholarship who had been selected by the Browning Club as the beneficiary. She was twenty-six and settled. That was what finally decided the matter. In other words she wouldn't do what unappreciative beneficiaries of the club's bounty had done before—just get through college and then marry some one and waste her education. The club wanted to be sure that if they helped a girl to go through college she was going to spend her life in teaching afterwards. If she was the kind that would get married, why waste the education?

Rose Terry was twenty-five the year before when she went to work with a farmer. She went for her board and then started in for her school. She had been able in one year to make up for the neglected education of her girlhood and prepare herself for college. She had not applied for the scholarship. She had expected to go on working with the farmer's family. But the committee had heard of her and had persuaded her to make her application. She had been selected and now the committee had asked her to sit in the front seat along with the officers of the Browning Club. No, they didn't want to make a spectacle of her, only if any one should want to point her out they could do so easily.

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She was tired and pale when she met Mrs. Gray, the president of the club that evening, and somehow Mrs. Gray took something of a satisfaction. The paleness and tiredness made her look all the more settled. Secretly Mrs. Gray would have enjoyed leading Rose up on the stage between the acts and presenting her to the audience as the one they had selected as their beneficiary.

All eyes were focused on the stage when the curtain rose. It was Prof. Moore who received immediate attention. He was the substitute who had been imported at the last minute. Not only was he a stranger but the tones of his voice and the obvious sureness of his action were new to the inhabitants of Tatum. The general comment was that he seemed like a regular actor. The attention was so thoroughly focused on the imported performer that few of the audience noticed a little flurry in the front row when Rose Terry slid from her seat a supine heap on the floor, or later, when half conscious and supported by Mrs. Gray's strong arm, she made her

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ONE-REEL YARNS

CLARENCE ON THE FARM

"I'm going to send Clarence to the farm for the summer," Mr. Gold announced to his wife one evening.

"Oh, Charles," she protested, "Clarence won't like the country. He's just like I am. He would die of loneliness out at Uncle Joe's after all the noise and excitement of New York."

"I didn't die of loneliness before I came to the city," Mr. Gold interrupted her impatiently. "There'll be enough to keep him busy on a farm. If he only has the sense to see it."

"But you know Clarence couldn't stand such dirty work," his mother said. "He has such a sensitive nature."

"Sensitive nature be hanged!" burst out Mr. Gold. "It would do Clarence no end of good to get real dirty for once in his life. Since he put on long trousers last week and bought that straw hat with a ribbon on it, he swaggers around so it makes me sick."

Maybe Uncle Joe and the farm could take some of it out of him."

The outcome of this conversation was that two weeks later Clarence Gold climbed off the train at Rhodes Corners. He was repulsed in a new checked suit; a lavender handkerchief stuck out of his pocket, and his new straw hat was perched on the back of his head.

He looked around. There was no taxicab in sight; there weren't even any street cars.

Walking up to the station agent he inquired, "How can I get to Mr. Joseph Gold's?"

"Foot it," he roared, "replied the man. 'There ain't no rig down this morning. It's only two miles.'"

"Only two miles!" Clarence had never walked two miles in his life. However, there seemed nothing else to do.

Hot, tired, and dirty, he arrived at his uncle's farm an hour later. Uncle Joe was out in the barn, so he went right out there to find him.

"Just take off your hat and coat and sit down here on the stool while I milk," Uncle Joe said cordially.

Clarence carefully placed his hat and coat on a pile of clean hay in the corner behind him and sat down to talk.

Five minutes later, hearing a noise behind him, he turned around in alarm. A big black cat was curled up fast asleep on his coat, but that wasn't what was making the noise. The yellow cow, was placidly chewing down the remains of his new hat.

Tongue Tangles

Frank Flah asked for four Enny Ash.—Contributed by G. L.

Convenient Method

CALLING THE ROLL FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL



Eats

A friend was telling about his stomach trouble the other day. "I don't know what causes it," he was perplexed.

Horse sense tells people not to mix milk certain chemicals unless he wants disastrous results.

Horse sense tells people not to mix ice cream and sour pickles, too, but sometimes we don't pay any attention.

Phil's Right

"One of the lightest occupations I ever heard of," his friend Phil told us yesterday afternoon, "is trying to borrow the moon's last quarter."

The Important Question

"Mamma," asked little Bessie, "how'll I know when I'm naughty?"

"You're conscience will tell you, dear."

"I don't care so much about what it tells me—but will it tell you?"

SANDWICHES FOR SUNDAY EVENING

Cheese and Pimento.—Grind or chop finely some American brick cheese and pimento. Mix the two together well. Spread thin slices of bread with butter and then with cheese and pimento. Place another slice of bread over this.

Jam and Nuts.—Chop some English walnuts finely. Mix them with jam or jelly. Spread this on thin, buttered slices of bread and cover with another slice. Don't be surprised if your little brother asks for a couple more slices spread with the mixture. It's delicious.

FAMOUS ANECDOTES OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

WALTER SCOTT

Walter Scott tells the story of a boy who was in school with him when he was a lad. It was the custom for the scholars in that school to change their places in classes according to success or failure in recitation. This boy always stood at the head of the class. Though Walter stood second because the boy never missed. But one day he noticed that the boy had a habit of twirling the button on his jacket when he was puzzled by a hard question. This somehow seemed to help him think out the right answer. Walter, more through mischief than any worse motive, decided to cut off this button to see if it would make any difference. So one day when no one was looking he slyly took out his knife and cut off the precious button. The next lesson was on a spelling lesson. Several of the scholars at the end missed a hard word and it came around to the head. The boy instinctively reached for the button. It was gone. He looked down to find it, grew confused, missed the word, and Walter went above him.

The boy never got to the head again. He seemed to lose his ambition, settled down into a second-rate scholar, and never accomplished much in life. Walter Scott declared that he often suffered sharp remorse at the thought that he possibly spoiled the boy for school and for life by cutting off the button that had done such good service.

DAILY HARDKNOT

(Make one up and send it in.)

Find six times thirteen in twelve. Add the result to the number of the twelve together in such a way that you will have six thirties.

Answer to yesterday's: "Beat in prayer" re-arranged, makes Presbyterian.

Good Ones

"Have you ever heard the story about the mountains?"

"No, what is it?"

"Why, it's all bluff."

"Well, that isn't as good as the one about the dirty window."

"Tell me about it."

"No use; you can't see through it."

NUTS TO CRACK

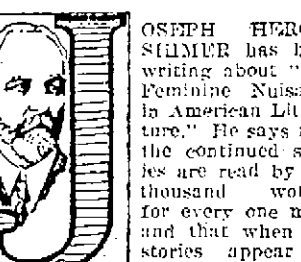
(Make one up and send it in.)

We are two brothers born together, who seldom touch the earth though we often go to the ground; although we never eat fodder, buy, sell or barter, we may be said to be interested in corn laws.

Answer to yesterday's: A highway.

The Alleged Feminine Nuisance

BY DR. WILLIAM E. BARTON



JOSEPH HERGENROTTER has been writing about "The Feminine Nuisance" in American Literature. He says that the continued stories are read by ten thousand women for every one man, and that when the stories appear in book form, it is still the women who read them.

He says that "Women have set the standard, determined the tone, of the characteristic American novel."

When he comes to consider that tone and measure that standard, he finds very little good to say of it. Literature in the United States, he says, is being strangled with a petticoat.

Now that he has said it, we may as well talk about it a little.

Women have set the standards not only for the novel, but for the movies, and for the theater, and for the other

forms of popular entertainment. These could not begin to live on the patronage of men.

But to a degree hardly less, women have set the standard for the art galleries and for the public libraries and the churches. The majority of the patrons of all these are women.

Women are a problem and always have been. Never have men known what to do with them or how to do without them. It is not certain that the tastes of women are notably nobler than those of men; it is practically certain that in America the men have left to the women more than half of the responsibility of deciding what shall be the character of our amusements, our concerts, our standards of intellectual life.

The remedy for the alleged feminine nuisance is for men to participate with women in the agencies that minister to life's hours released from labor and not given over to sleep.

The literature and art that are good for women are just as good for men; and nothing that is bad for the one sex is good for the other.

have full details for the next meeting. The important thing was that Rose wouldn't want the scholarship. She was going to marry Prof. Moore at once instead of going to college.

"And she looked so plain and settled," signed a leading Browningite. "Well, she oughtn't to have applied for the scholarship if she had had any such plans in her head."

"She didn't apply," came back in an unparliamentary manner from Mrs. Browning society is concerned."

Abe Martin



Em Moots' niece, who wuz so bitterly criticized for goin' back to stenography so soon after her husband's death, is askin' for a divorce. A bum is much 't preferred 't a bore. We kin get rid of a bum for a dime.

Gray in the chair. "What we want to do now is to look over the qualifications of the other applicants. Rose Terry is done for as far as the

EVERETT TRUE.

BY CONDO.

—IT'S ONLY THREE WEEKS OLD, BUT IT HAS THE INTELLIGENCE OF A CHILD A YEAR OLD!

ONLY YESTER—DAY HE

HOLD ON, MR. NEWLYWED! THIS WILL INTRODUCE YOU TO A FRIEND OF MINE. HE

IS KIND OF NUTTY, TOO—HE HAS JUST BOUGHT HIS FIRST AUTOMOBILE!!!

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CHILDREN COMPETE WITH SANTA CLAUS AS MAKER OF GIFTS

Boston Boys and Girls Busy in
Open Air Workshop Making
Christmas Presents

BOSTON, Mass.—Hundreds of boys and girls of the Mary Hemingway public school in the Dorchester district have gone into competition with Santa Claus in an open air workshop here and Christmas time will find their handiwork scattered in many gift packages.

With work benches set up under fragrant fir trees in a natural park on Lonsdale street, the youngsters whittle and saw away making toys, furniture and unique gewgaws out of any material that comes to hand.

Toy ducks, horses and pigs or tanks, soldiers, chairs, dolls, guns and airplanes—all are products of the expert hands of these young enthusiasts. Even the refuse heaps furnish material. A sardine can becomes a cookie cutter, a salmon can shapes into a cruet and beer bottle tops make excellent caps for tin soldiers. A jig-saw in the hands of a capable youngster produces a monkey on a trapeze that rolls around like a performer in a circus.

Chaircaning is a fascinating job and mother's old arm chair gets many a new seat.

Work is carried on from nine until four under the supervision of Miss L. Gertrude Howes with two manual training teachers to show the student how to manipulate the tools. A house that is used for a bad weather shop has been equipped with furniture made by the children.

Signed by Proxy
The Eighteenth Amendment is another example of "Dictated, but not read."—Life.

Advertisement
For Itching Eczema,
Old Sores and Piles

"I guarantee my ointment," says Peterson of Buffalo, "to cure eczema, to stop the itching at once and any reliable druggist will cheerfully refund your money if PETERSON'S OINTMENT doesn't do everything I say it will do."

William A. Carley of Franklin, N. Y., is surely a man who writes to attest to the truth of the above. He writes: "I used PETERSON'S OINTMENT on a little boy suffering terribly with eczema. It did the work."

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- Percale, 36-inch good quality, per yard **17c**
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UNDER THE CAPITOL DOME

Odds and Ends of State Affairs by William J. Anderson.

MADISON, Wis.—Farmers of Wisconsin and of the country as a whole says J. A. Becker, crop statistician for the Federal and State Departments of Markets, are very fortunate in having a large reserve of feed crops held over from last year's crop. Stocks of barley and oats are larger than ever before, totals of 161 million bushels and 14 million bushels respectively for the United States. However, the new crops will be very short. Oats production will be nearly 300 million bushels and barley production nearly 10 million bushels short of an average crop. The hay crop is short to a smaller degree, while the corn crop promises to be large. Taken as a whole, the total feed crops available will be somewhat below the average requirements.

The department of markets in its new program for this year and next will pay much attention to the subject of transportation. This is so large a factor in the work of improving the market for agricultural products that one man will devote virtually his whole attention to it. This does not mean merely the matter of equitable rates, but chiefly the question of service. The transportation companies, it has been found, are willing to adapt themselves to the needs of the situation if only they are

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Clean, thinking people everywhere are discarding the tub bath. Why? The last water to touch your body as you leave the tub is simply a sloppy solution made of dirt and water which has just left your body.

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high, though the cost of materials is still very high.

One of the most important duties of the industrial commission is fire prevention. Last year, 100 lives were lost in Wisconsin through fires, and the property loss was nearly \$11,000,000. At least one-half of this fire loss could have been prevented. The

industrial commission has general supervision of the work done by various governmental agencies, in preventing unnecessary fire loss, except with reference to forest fires. It assists cities and villages in organizing fire departments, and supervises the inspections made by the 350 local fire chiefs of the state. Where the local fire departments neglect to make in-

spections, the industrial commission is required to make these inspections itself, but the cost thereof is charged to the delinquent city or village. The extent of this work is indicated by the fact that during the last three months, the industrial commission made complete inspections of the business districts in 55 towns, involving altogether 2327 individual towns,

where it was called in to assist the local fire chiefs in getting hazardous conditions corrected.

"Life as I See It"

I suppose we are prone to claim that the world hasn't given us justice. In some directions I haven't had it. In some others I don't want it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Extra Special
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- 4 Navy blue Wraps, sold formerly up to \$45.
- 32 Spring Suits, in navy blue, check, tweed, wool jersey and silk pongee, sold up to \$45.
- 41 Silk and wool Dresses—georgette, crepe de chine, taffeta, Canton crepe and tricolette, values up to \$45.00.

Downstairs
Store

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Store

\$20

- 26 Spring Coats, Wraps and Capes, sold formerly up to \$59.50.
- 27 Spring Suits, in navy blue, tan and brown—a rare bargain—sold formerly up to \$50.00.
- 16 Dresses in navy blue tricotine and silk, values up to \$39.50.

Downstairs
Store

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\$25

- 33 Dresses, in silk taffeta, Canton crepe, satin, tricolette and wool tricotine, sold up to \$65.
- 12 Spring Suits, in navy blue tricotine, sold formerly up to \$59.50.
- 14 Spring Coats, Wraps and Capes, values up to \$69.50.

Downstairs
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\$35

- 29 Spring Suits, in navy blue, tan, brown and grey, sold formerly up to \$95.00.
- 39 Spring Coats, Wraps and Capes, our very finest garments included, values up to \$139.
- 47 Silk Dresses, in Canton crepe, taffeta, satin crepe and tricolette, sold up to \$95.

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KENNETH WOLFF IS ONLY ENTRANT IN THE GOVERNOR PECK CONTEST TO ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS CORRECTLY

Just one of the scores of boys and girls who entered the Tribune and Leader-Press contest relative to the late Governor George W. Peck, author of "Peck's Bad Boy" and former resident of La Crosse, scored 100 per cent in answers to the ten questions. But plenty of them were so nearly 100 per cent as to make the competition close and judgment a matter of shades.

The hundred per cent was Kenneth Wolff, 610 Pine street, who was accordingly declared winner of the boys' group of the contest.

The girls' champion was Dorothy Kraft, 1321 Jackson street, who made an average of 92 per cent on all of the ten questions.

The ten correct answers to the questions appear in the adjoining column.

The winners of the contest are requested to call at the Tribune and Leader-Press office Friday evening, to receive their prizes.

Here are the winners in order:

Boys

First, 3 tickets: Kenneth Wolff, 610 Pine street; Second, three tickets, Isaac Katz, 1228 La Crosse street; Third, two tickets, John Thompson, Christ Episcopal church; Fourth, two tickets, Warren Weigel, 215 N. Eighth street; Fifth, two tickets, Charles Jagow, 308 West Avenue South; Sixth, two tickets, William Leithold, 214 North Ninth street.

Boys who placed in the contest, therefore receiving one ticket each, are as follows: Robert Pries, 228 N. 9th st.; Cyril L. Flock, 608 West Ave., so.; Roy Skoglund, 1035 So. 19th st.; John D. Ward, 1782 Madison st.; Roland Mohlman, 402 So. 19th st.; Ferdinand Welpert, 318 Hood st.; John Erickson, 1002 State st.; Robert Soules, 1728 Liberty st.; Charles A. Volz, 624 So. 7th street.

Girls

First, doll and ticket, Dorothy Kraft, 1321 Jackson st.; second, doll and ticket, Marjorie Niebuhr, 627 So. 5th st.; Third, doll and ticket, Alice Larsen, 1121 Perry st.; Fourth, doll and ticket, Helen Weidner, 717 So. 6th st.; Fifth, doll and ticket, Marguerite Franz, 313 La Crosse street; Sixth, doll and ticket, Agnes Simonson, 714 So. 5th st.;

Girls who placed in the contest, being therefore entitled to one ticket each, are: Katherine Schaefer, 2600 Cass st.; Geraldine Brodhead, 2502 Cass st.; Marguerite Balzer, 1222 So. 9th st.; Adeline Marquardt, 1429 Badger st.; Beatrice L. Flock, 608 West Ave., so.; Elizabeth Leona Davis, 148 So. 12th st.; Nora Thompson, Christ church; Thelma Shain, 622 Rose st.; Vera Lombard, 1225 Winnebago st.; Leona Starnard, 1303 Perry st.; Margaret Kabat, 1415 Barlow st.; Genevieve Lonkoski, 1106 So. 11th st.; Rose Volkoff, Charlotte Goldstein; Mary Erickson, 1002

CORRECT ANSWERS

1—George W. Peck was governor from 1891 to 1895, serving two terms.
2—George W. Peck lived at 214 North Sixth street for a time, and later at the southeast corner of Ninth and King streets.

3—The paper which made George W. Peck famous was originally known as "The Sun" the name later being changed to "Peck's Sun" when the editor moved to Milwaukee.

4—The opponents of George W. Peck when he ran for governor were first term, William D. Board; second term, John C. Spooner.

5—A memento of George W. Peck prominent in the business section of La Crosse is the drinking fountain at Fifth and Main streets, upon which is the legend "Boys, this drink is on me," with the signature of Gov. Peck.

6—George W. Peck's occupation in La Crosse was newspaper work.

7—George W. Peck was a democrat.

8—George W. Peck was a resident of Milwaukee when he became governor.

9—George W. Peck held numerous public offices beside that of governor. He was city treasurer of Ripon, Wis.; chief clerk of the state assembly, assistant state treasury agent; chief of police at La Crosse; Mayor of Milwaukee.

10—George W. Peck died in Milwaukee April 16, 1916.

State st.; Katherine Erickson, 1002 State st.; Genevieve Eaddad, 300 Mill st.; Isabella Subjeck, 311 So. 4th st. The prizes are awaiting the above winners at the Tribune office.

DAUGHTERS ARE GIVEN SHARE IN ESTATE OF CHIPPEWA FALLS MAN

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—The estate of James McKinnon of Chippewa Falls, involved at \$160,000, has been settled in circuit court here, the widow, Mrs.

Eliza McKinnon, receiving one-third of the estate and the homestead and two daughters of McKinnon \$50,000 each. The estate, exclusive of the homestead, was divided on a basis of \$150,000.

The will originally left the entire estate to the widow with the exception of one dollar each to the daughters, Mrs. J. Hypanier of Chippewa Falls and Mrs. John Carter, Mopowit. They contended that undue influence was exerted on their father and were upheld by Judge O'Neill.

Six-Foot Catfish
The Bureau of Fisheries has undertaken to encourage the propagation of the "Bullheads" of the Mississippi which is a fish of the catfish variety and is often found as long as six feet and weighing 100 pounds. This "encouragement" consists merely of throwing over some pieces of grain pipe, old beer kegs, buckets and similar articles which will provide suitable places for their nests. The lower Mississippi yields the large size fish referred to.

Government Rats on Show
The dairy division of the United States Agricultural department has a rat show which is being shipped around the country to demonstrate the value of a milk diet. One is fat and sleek and has been given milk in addition to some other food, but the other is thin and puny. It had been deprived of milk. These rats were chosen from two cages each containing six rats. All had about the same start and after two months the milk-fed rats had flourished and the others had lost weight. The difference was very marked.

The Honey Bee's Burden
The honey bee, on its trips from the field to the hive, carries about half its weight in honey. This is computed to be the average although particularly ambitious bees will carry about 80 per cent of their weight. A strong colony will gather about 12 pounds per day, but about one-quarter of this is lost in evaporation and in answering the food demands of the colony.

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TWIN CITY AVIATORS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE WHEN PLANE BURNS

SUPERIOR, Wis.—William Butters, Minneapolis, and George Williams, St. Paul, narrowly escaped death Thursday when their airplane fell near here and caught fire after it struck the ground. Williams was pinned beneath the burning plane but kicked his way through the wing.

The plane was about 75 feet up returning to the field after engine trouble when a gust of wind turned the machine over and it crashed to earth. Neither of the occupants was injured.

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TILL, SOMERSET'S "PLASTER KING," IS SEEKING A PARDON

Governor Asked to Free Him;
Serving a Year's Sentence
in Barron Jail

MADISON.—John Till, Somerset "plaster king," who is serving a year's sentence in the Barron county jail, at Barron, has petitioned Governor John J. Blaine for a pardon. Till is represented by Fred H. Hartwell, La Crosse attorney.

Till was sentenced on Jan. 13, 1921, to a year in the county jail by Judge James Wickham, following his conviction on charges of practicing medicine without a license. Till at that time was serving a six months' sentence that had been imposed May 22, 1919, on a similar charge. Till appealed the first sentence to the supreme court. The high court affirmed the sentence and Till began serving it Nov. 3, 1920. The year's sentence was to run concurrently with the six months' sentence. Till has been in jail now about eight months.

The "plaster king" declares in his petition for a pardon that most of the evidence used in the second trial was identical with that used in the first trial; that his mental and physical health is poor; that the jail is stuffy and damp and that he has had little exercise since his confinement.

Till says he arrived in western Wisconsin from Germany in 1890 and that shortly after his arrival he cured one Ignatz Stoeble of Alameda, Wis., after his case had been given up by doctors. After that, Till says, without any collection from far and near, people came from far and near to receive treatments and that he treated them without knowledge or intention of violating the law.

Till also declares that prior to the prosecution of his case, neighbors who sought to drive him away ganged out the eyes of his watchdog, split open the backs of his Angora goats, poisoned stock on his farm, caused his farm buildings to be quarantined and accused him of setting fire to his own buildings.

TEXT OF IRISH REPLY IS MADE PUBLIC TODAY

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render, is fundamentally false, just as the claim to subordinate her independence to British strategy is fundamentally unjust. To neither can we as representatives of the nation, lend countenance.

"If our refusal to betray our nation's honor and the trust that has been reposed in us is to be made an issue of war by Great Britain, we deplore it. We are as conscious of our responsibilities to the living as we are mindful of principle or of our obligations to the heroic dead.

"We have not sought war nor do we seek war but if war be made upon us we must defend ourselves and shall do so, confident that whether our defense be successful or unsuccessful, nobody of representative Irishmen or Irish women will ever propose to the nation the surrender of its birthright.

Nation Longs for Peace

"We long to end the conflict between Great Britain and Ireland. If our government be determined to impose its will upon us by force, and antecedent to negotiations to insist upon conditions that involve a surrender of our whole national position, we make negotiation a mockery, the responsibility for the continuance of the conflict rests upon you."

"On the basis of the broad guiding principle of government by the consent of the governed, peace can be secured—a peace that will be just and honorable to all and fruitful of concord and inducing to unity.

"To negotiate such a peace the Dail Bureau is ready to appoint its representatives, and, if your government accepts the principle proposed, to invest them with plenary powers to meet and arrange with you for its application in detail.

"I am sir,

"Faithfully yours,"

"RAMONN DE VALERA"

The reply to Mr. De Valera's letter probably will be drawn Friday, the British cabinet having met and considered the Irish republican leader's communication.

De Valera Re-elected

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—Ramonn De Valera was Friday re-elected to his important post as leader of the Irish republicans with the title of president of the Irish republic. Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein, was elected vice president, and the other members of the Dail Bureau were again chosen to membership in that body.

The Dail took this action at a public session, at which Mr. De Valera read his reply to Premier Lloyd George declaring this summed up the Dail's position on an Irish settlement which he said is, and must remain unchanged.

Won't Alter Stand

After reading the letter to Mr. Lloyd George to the Dail, De Valera said: "That reply sums up our position and I do not think it necessary to deal with it now, particularly as we haven't got a reply from the British government.

"Our position is unchanged. We cannot change our position, because it is fundamentally sound. Just the moment we get off that fundamental rock of right and justice we have no case whatsoever. No fight can be made except that rock and on that rock we shall stand."

Mr. De Valera proposed Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein as vice president and minister of foreign affairs, and the re-election of the other ministers and the dail was voted.

Peruvian Literature

Printing was introduced in Peru in 1582 and through succeeding centuries poets and other writers have contributed to its literature.

NEW GOLD TEST



This machine provides a spectroscopic analysis of gold which measures the fineness of the metal more accurately than any part in a million. Electric sparks jump between two bars of gold. Photographs of the sparks are taken through a diffraction grating showing the smallest particle of baser metal. This, at the bureau of standards.

U. S. TROOPS HELD IN READINESS TO PUT DOWN TROUBLE

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the strikers who were still coming along the road from Marietta, but in diminishing numbers. This was taken to indicate that the last reinforcements had arrived and from now on, having desertions, the marching body would be as it was when it left Marietta.

Inquiry among the people of Racine developed that no striking had been reported and there were no reports of shooting at the camp. The men who would discuss the movement said they were in earnest and proposed to carry out their project.

Come from All Over State

When questioned regarding reports current here that Governor Morgan had asked for federal troops, they professed ignorance of what the state and national authorities were doing, but it was said that several couriers had scouted the camp over the Marietta road late Thursday night and early Friday.

It was noted by observers that the men moved with greater precision and in better formation than when they arrived Thursday. While not marching with military precision, they formed in line and there was little straggling. Committees seemed to be in charge.

It was said that while the men come from widely scattered sections of the state, there were some entire local organizations in the line and these were acting under the orders of their officers.

MAY SUTTON WINS IN TENNIS SEMI-FINALS

BOSTON, Mass.—In the semi-final round of the National Women's Singles tennis matches here Mrs. May Sutton Paine of Los Angeles Friday won in straight sets from Miss Edith Nicolson of Boston. She will meet the former national champion, Miss Mary K. Browne, Saturday in the finals.

In the Junior singles, semi-final round, Arnold Jones of Providence, R. I., by defeating Morton Bernstein of New York, earned the right to meet Vincent Richards of New York in the finals.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed	
"Wingold" Flour, 35-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	\$ 9.65
"Wingold" Flour, 40-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	9.20
"Wingold" Flour, 24 1/2-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.20
"Wingold" Flour, 12 1/2-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.35
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.35
Hay and Straw	
"Bay State" Hay, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	21.00
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"Diamond" Hay, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	22.00
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Butter and Eggs	
Quoted by H. J. Anderson	
Butter, cream, 34% butterfat	30.00
Butter, cream, 32% butterfat	29.00
Butter, cream, 30% butterfat	28.00
Butter, cream, 28% butterfat	27.00
Butter, cream, 26% butterfat	26.00
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Butter, cream, -92% butterfat	-33.00
Butter, cream, -94% butterfat	-34.00
Butter, cream, -96% butterfat	-35.00
Butter, cream, -98% butterfat	-36.00
Butter, cream, -100% butterfat	-37.00

ASK BLAINE TO WARN WISCONSIN AGAINST THE KU-KLUX KLAN

Won't Take Hand Until Overt
Act Has Been Committed
Replies the Executive

MADISON, Wis.—Appeal was made to Governor John J. Blaine Friday by citizens of Milwaukee that he urge people of the state to use their influence in disorganizing the Ku-Klux Klan, which they say is taking a strong hold there. The governor replied that he would take no part in the situation until an overt act had been committed.

Petition to Governor Blaine informed him that there exists within the state a "federation of citizens who have joined themselves together in the nature of an association or clan, known as the Ku-Klux Klan, a branch of a national organization of that name."

It is urged in the petition that the governor initiate an investigation immediately to throw light upon the extent to which the Klan has organized in the state, and the nature of its intentions and purposes. A proclamation for the executive to sign accompanied this petition.

The proclamation which the governor is asked to sign would have him declare that "all unlawful organizations will, upon receipt of this notice, at once disband and abstain from all illegal and violent acts. All who fail to do this will be treated as outlaws and not entitled to the protection of the government."

All publications, newspapers and printing establishments are hereby enjoined not to publish any editorial or other news item or advertisement, which will have for its purpose the communicating of any information to the citizenry of the state from the organization mentioned, the proclamation would further state.

No overt acts are known to have been committed by the Ku-Klux Klan in this state, if such an organization exists.

AMERICAN LEGION SEEKS ANSWER TO CLAIM CARD DRIVE

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kept closely in touch with all disabled men in hospitals.

The Michigan department has been making a ceaseless clean-up campaign which fits exactly into the national drive. The state appropriated \$400,000 for relief work. A special legion service party visits all sections of the state periodically. A Mrs. Anne Rowe of Bronson, Iowa, tubercular hospital has been purchased by the state and is to be turned over to the American Legion.

In Ohio, Tennessee, Kansas and Kentucky systematic work has been done by department officials, who have received legal co-operation from post officials. In Montana the Veterans' Welfare Commission has been operating two years through field workers and post co-operation. The Connecticut department also has been receiving legal co-operation from post officials.

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It was said that while the men come from widely scattered sections of the state, there were some entire local organizations in the line and these were acting under the orders of their officers.

MAY SUTTON WINS IN TENNIS SEMI-FINALS

BOSTON, Mass.—In the semi-final round of the National Women's Singles tennis matches here Mrs. May Sutton Paine of Los Angeles Friday won in straight sets from Miss Edith Nicolson of Boston. She will meet the former national champion, Miss Mary K. Browne, Saturday in the finals.

In the Junior singles, semi-final round, Arnold Jones of Providence, R. I., by defeating Morton Bernstein of New York, earned the right to meet Vincent Richards of New York in the finals.

LOCAL MARKETS

Flour and Feed	
"Wingold" Flour, 35-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	\$ 9.65
"Wingold" Flour, 40-pound cotton sacks, per barrel	9.20
"Wingold" Flour, 24 1/2-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.20
"Wingold" Flour, 12 1/2-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.35
"Wingold" Flour, 5-pound paper sacks, per barrel	9.35
Hay and Straw	
"Bay State" Hay, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	21.00
"Bay State" Hay, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	21.00
"Diamond" Hay, in 100-pound sacks, per ton	22.00
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Butter and Eggs	
Quoted by H. J. Anderson	
Butter, cream, 34% butterfat	30.00
Butter, cream, 32% butterfat	29.00
Butter, cream, 30% butterfat	28.00
Butter, cream, 28% butterfat	27.00
Butter, cream, 26% butterfat	26.00
Butter, cream, 24% butterfat	25.00
Butter, cream, 22% butterfat	24.00
Butter, cream, 20% butterfat	23.00
Butter, cream, 18% butterfat	22.00
Butter, cream, 16% butterfat	21.00
Butter, cream, 14% butterfat	20.00
Butter, cream, 12% butterfat	19.00
Butter, cream, 10% butterfat	18.00
Butter, cream, 8% butterfat	17.00
Butter, cream, 6% butterfat	16.00
Butter, cream, 4% butterfat	15.00
Butter, cream, 2% butterfat	14.00
Butter, cream, 0% butterfat	13.00
Butter, cream, -2% butterfat	12.00
Butter, cream, -4% butterfat	11.00
Butter, cream, -6% butterfat	10.00
Butter, cream, -8% butterfat	9.00
Butter, cream, -10% butterfat	8.00
Butter, cream, -12% butterfat	7.00
Butter, cream, -14% butterfat	6.00
Butter, cream, -16% butterfat	5.00
Butter, cream, -18% butterfat	4.00
Butter, cream, -20% butterfat	3.00
Butter, cream, -22% butterfat	2.00
Butter, cream, -24% butterfat	1.00
Butter, cream, -26% butterfat	0.00
Butter, cream, -28% butterfat	-1.00
Butter, cream, -30% butterfat	-2.00
Butter, cream, -32% butterfat	-3.00
Butter, cream, -34% butterfat	-4.00
Butter, cream, -36% butterfat	-5.00
Butter, cream, -38% butterfat	-6.00
Butter, cream, -40% butterfat	-7.00
Butter, cream, -42% butterfat	-8.00
Butter, cream, -44% butterfat	-9.00
Butter, cream, -46% butterfat	-10.00
Butter, cream, -48% butterfat	-11.00
Butter, cream, -50% butterfat	-12.00
Butter, cream, -52% butterfat	-13.00
Butter, cream, -54% butterfat	-14.00
Butter, cream, -56% butterfat	-15.00
Butter, cream, -58% butterfat	-16.00
Butter, cream, -60% butterfat	-17.00
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Butter, cream, -66% butterfat	-20.00
Butter, cream, -68% butterfat	-21.00
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Butter, cream, -72% butterfat	-23.00
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Butter, cream, -82% butterfat	-28.00
Butter, cream, -84% butterfat	-29.00
Butter, cream, -86% butterfat	-30.00
Butter, cream, -88% butterfat	-31.00
Butter, cream, -90% butterfat	-32.00
Butter, cream, -92% butterfat	-33.00
Butter, cream, -94% butterfat	-34.00
Butter, cream, -96% butterfat	-35.00
Butter, cream, -98% butterfat	-36.00
Butter, cream, -100% butterfat	-37.00

WILLIAM M. HALL, CIVIL WAR VETERAN, DIES ON THURSDAY

Resident of Bad Axe Valley,
Near Genoa, Since 1855;
Lived Here Few Years

La Crosse lost another veteran of the civil war in the death Thursday evening of William M. Hall, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Levi Huntington, 135 South Eighth street. He had been ill for some months with a complication of diseases.

Mr. Hall was born in Scotland, May 2, 1817. When he was a year old his parents came to America, living in New Jersey for about a year. For the next seven years the family resided in Illinois. About the year 1855 they moved to Bad Axe Valley in Vernon county, near Genoa, and Mr. Hall lived on a farm in that vicinity ever since up until a few years ago when he retired and came to La Crosse to make his home.

In 1863 when only about sixteen years of age, Mr. Hall attempted to enlist in the army but was rejected as too small. A few months later, he succeeded in enlisting in Company C, 15th Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, better known as the "Bad Axe Tigers."

This company played a very important part in a little known but savagely fought engagement which saved Sherman's army in the famous march to the sea. It was on the skirmish line of a tiny garrison which saved Sherman's base of supplies, although outnumbered six to one, in a battle at Allatoona Pass, northwest of Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Hall took a prominent part in this battle. One of the things he greatly treasured in life, was a letter written to his parents by his captain, Robert S. McMichael, of Viroqua, captain of the Tigers, conveying to the proud parents the thrilling details of their son's bravery at Allatoona. Mr. Hall enjoyed the distinction of being the youngest man in his regiment and popularly was accredited with the honor of being the youngest soldier carrying a musket in Sherman's army, although during his lifetime Mr. Hall modestly said there were a few drummer boys in that army who were younger.

Mr. Hall leaves to mourn his loss three sons and three daughters: John Hall, George Hall, Mrs. Blanche Prindle, and Mrs. Grace Munger of Genoa, Wis., and Mrs. Edith Huntington and Edward Hall of La Crosse. One brother, Albert Hall of La Crosse, and three sisters, Mrs. Jane Gillette, Mrs. Agnes Adams of Stoughton, Wis., and Mrs. Anne Rowe of Bronson, Iowa, tubercular hospital has been purchased by the state and is to be turned over to the American Legion.

The remains will be taken to Genoa Saturday morning for burial in the cemetery at Romance, Vernon county. Funeral services will be conducted in the Romance church at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. Rev. William McCandley officiating.

DOPE KING GETS YEAR AND DAY AT LEAVENWORTH

SUPERIOR, Wis.—A year and a day in the federal prison at Leavenworth is the penalty Frank Isaac, termed by police, "the dope king of the northwest," must pay for trafficking in narcotics. Sentence was imposed by Federal Judge C. Z. Luse, late Thursday.

Isaac, himself a drug addict, declared he took to narcotics through administration when he was suffering from a gunshot wound in the leg. The leg is now tubercular and must be amputated, physicians told the court following Isaac's sentence.

They'll Gallop in the Dark

The latest aid to the amateur gambler consists of dice treated with a radium derivative which makes them glow at night. In this way it is possible to have a round of African golf on the porch at night when to turn on the lights would bring a flock of insects. The deceptions are illuminated and it is easy to read them in the dark.—New York Sun.

Mutual Interests

"Do man deal lends to his own business," said Uncle Eben. "He got to interest himself in other folks' business, so dat his business kin help der business along."

Early New Fall Styles Now Here

THE new two and three-strap effects, made in the new Scotch grain leathers, in tan, black and patent leathers, low heels for street wear. Sizes 3 1/2 to 8, widths AA, A, B, C. Upstairs price—

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Others at \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95, \$7.95.

Women's White Oxfords, Pumps and Shoes

Made of tan Russia calf uppers, oak tan soles, that sold at \$2 to \$2.50, sizes 6 to 8, 9 to 11, 12 to 2, your choice

\$1.00

Children's Play Oxfords

Made of tan Russia calf uppers, oak tan soles, that sold at \$2 to \$2.50, sizes 6 to 8, 9 to 11, 12 to 2, your choice

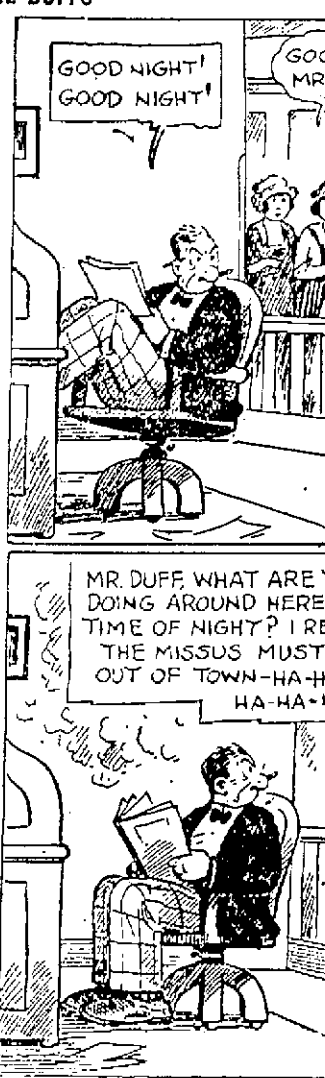
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BOLSHEVİK MISSION ATTRACTS ATTENTION IN TURKISH CAPITAL

Angora Expects them to Wear Red Clothes and Massacre People Regularly

RECOGNIZE RIGHT OF TURKS TO CITY OF CONSTANTINOPLE

Treaty Completed Between Russia and Turk Nationalists

ANGORA—(By the Associated Press)—The Bolshevik mission at Angora, headed by Serge Natzenberg, as plenipotentiary, is just as much an object of curiosity as it would be in Washington. There are but few Russian Bolsheviks in Turkey and the Turkish population observes them closely to see if they wear red clothes and horns, and massacre people before or after breakfast.

The Bolshevik mission, which arrived from Moscow in late June, consisted of a half dozen men and a dozen or more women secretaries and typists, is established in a residence just under the walls of the ancient city. Over it flies a red flag bearing the insignia of Soviet Russia. Stretched across the street is a huge red banner on which is inscribed in Turkish letters: "Down with Imperialism and Capitalism."

In an adjoining house are a few Bolshevik soldiers, but otherwise there is no pretense at attracting attention.

Natzenberg is a former lawyer of Saratov, who says his socialist tendencies caused the government of the czar to deport him in 1911 for a six months' imprisonment in Siberia. At different periods in the past three years he was commander of the Bolshevik forces on the Archangel front. He is a short, alert, polite man, neatly dressed, and a smoker of initialed cigarettes contained in a highly ornamented gold case.

"I am here because of our treaty with the Turks," he explained. "There is no secret treaty. The only one is that drawn March 16 in Moscow. By it Kars goes to the Turks and they now occupy it despite reports to the contrary. The treaty is founded on our common revolutionary interests, and both of us are bound not to recognize any international treaty imposed on the other against its will."

"By it we also recognize the right of the Turks to Constantinople and it is nonsense to say we are trying to capture that city. It is also provided that a future conference of interested nations shall regulate the free passage of the Dardanelles straits and the commerce of the Black sea, and in such manner as not to infringe on the absolute sovereignty and security of the Turks at Constantinople."

"Article four recognizes the similarity of the struggle of the peoples of the Orient for national freedom with the struggle of the workers of Russia for a new social order and to both the right to govern themselves as they wish."

"The Turks are equally afraid of themselves and the allies and are trying to prevent any infringement on their independence by either."

Asked why at the present time there was so much fear in Europe of a new soviet invasion of Poland and Rumania, he answered: "That is

SOCIETY'S CONEY ISLAND



"Now hold your feet up!" the starter warns. The girl is Miss Helen Rice, one of New York's younger society leaders, ready for a ride on the roller coaster that features the annual street fair at Southampton, L. I., fashionable resort.

the result of propaganda against us. So far as I know, we have no such intentions. We wish to be friendly with all nations. We are trying to establish a responsible government that can re-open commercial relations, especially as we anxious to do so with the United States. We realize that with a responsible government we can get long credits and rebuild Russia."

"We should like to see the long line of ships repassing the Dardanelles, carrying freight to and from South Russia, as in pre-war days. It is not easy for us to form a stable, responsible government under present conditions, with armed bands plundering in the country districts, yet if we can once get people back to work, as would be the case if import and export business started, the task will be far easier."

"TWIN BEDS" NEXT BIG ATTRACTION HERE

"Twin Beds," the uproarious comedy of apartment house life, will be the attraction at the La Crosse theater on Sunday, Sept. 11th, matinee and night. This is the sixth year for this remarkable play that is still breaking all box office records everywhere and theatrical experts are at a loss to account for it. The fact that the present New York cast with Helen Saxe and four members of the original production are far superior to those heretofore offered, may have something to do with it, but that is not the psychological reason. Is it the

BEGUN DRUG STORE SOLD TO ROCHESTER MEN; MILLS MANAGER

Store Closed Until September 1 for Complete Remodeling and Redecoration

The Rexall drug store in the majestic building, for several years owned by C. A. Begun, has been sold, it became known on Wednesday when the new proprietor closed it for remodeling and redecoration.

The new proprietor and manager of the store is Chester D. Mills, formerly of Rochester and Moorhead, Minn. Associated with Mr. Mills in the new enterprise are Max and Oscar Hargeshelmer, who operate three leading drug stores of Rochester, Minn. Mr. Mills has been associated with Hargeshelmer Bros. for the last year, following a successful five years in business for himself in a drug store at Moorhead, which he sold a year ago.

The store will be redecorated and rearranged throughout, Mr. Mills said, and the stock will be considerably enlarged before it is re-opened. The new management will open for business September 1, he added.

The Rexall agency, which has been held by the store for a number of years will be retained, Mr. Mills said.

Mr. Mills' family will arrive in the city in about a week, he said, to make their home here.

A Future Star

"Have you decided upon a name for the baby?"

"Not yet. It's so difficult to find one that will sicken well."—Life.

Fished for a Thief's Loot

A French fisherman, throwing his line into one of the streams near Paris, hooked something which did not behave like a fish. He pulled it in and found he had a stout cord which was attached to a heavy weight. This was finally pulled in and found to be a trunk, which was opened on the

GIRLS! LEMONS BLEACH THE SKIN

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug store will supply for a few cents, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of harmless and delightful lemon bleach. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day, then shortly note the beauty and whiteness of your skin.

Famous stage beauties use this lemon lotion to bleach and bring that soft, clear, rosy-white complexion, also as a freckle, sunburn, and tan bleach because it doesn't irritate.

Those who live by the sword shall perish by the sword.

bank, and thousands of dollars worth of very fashionable jewelry was found inside. The trunk had been stolen from the storage room of one of the railroad stations and was the property of a jewelry salesman. The reward which had been offered for the recovery of the trunk.



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Kellogg's Corn Flakes are a revelation—palate-ticklers that bring the sunshine right into the breakfast room and get the day going all right! Never was such flavor as you'll find in Kellogg's; never was there such all-the-time crispness!

You miss a great eat-treat every day you deny yourself the enjoyment that Kellogg's Corn Flakes spread so generously! Your happiness will know no bounds when you see the little folks come back for "more Kellogg's, Mother, please!"

And, my—how Kellogg's delight the mothers, too—and the daddies and brothers and sisters! Kellogg's win everybody—they're so delicious!



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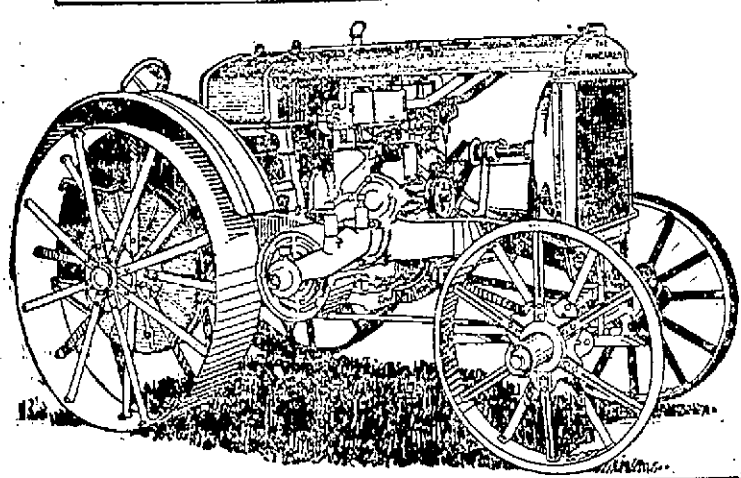
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NEW YORK—New York state has the first air squadron to be organized by the national guard of the country. The 102nd Observation Squadron of the New York national guard air service, with headquarters at Alhambra Field, Long Island, was inspected recently by state and federal officers. The personnel comprises veterans aviators, many of whom are aces. It is expected that the government will furnish the squadron with standard De Havilland machines.

Lieutenant Colonel Laurence La Tourette Briggs, who organized the squadron has been attached to the staff of Major General Ryan, commanding the 27th division. Major Kenneth P. Littler, former commander of the 88th squadron, is commanding officer of New York's squadron.

The roster includes: Captains, Curtis Wheeler, G. De Freest, Lerner, George A. Vaughn, Jr., Reginald L. Vandewater, and Henry R. Smith; Lieutenants, Howard Burdick, Alexander McLaughlin, Harold Buckley, Kenneth Noble and Corland Groser. The enlisted personnel will be furnished by Company M., former infantry company at Hempstead, Long Island.

HIS DILEMMA

There are still one or two of the old-time "stock" theatrical companies touring the smaller towns. One of these has at least twenty plays on its list. Recently it was giving a show in a village hall.

The performance was pretty bad, but the villagers found it quite interesting till, at the great climax in the third act, the hero forgot his part.

After an embarrassing silence of about two minutes he hissed audibly to the prompter:

"What's the line?"

"What's the play?" the prompter hissed back from his little box, as he grabbed a pile of two or three dozen books and began to run through them feverishly. —Los Angeles Times.

Darwinian

The war on bathing suits is well come if it means a survival of the best-fitting. —Life.

PULL TOGETHER

Did you ever see a team of big well-trained horses pull a heavily loaded wagon out of a mud hole? Did you notice how they leaned forward in their collars, steadily, slowly and pulled together? Does the man at the next bench, counter or desk need your help? Help him out. Tomorrow you may need his help. Ben Franklin said, "If we don't hang together we will hang separately." Stick together. Co-operate with the man above you and below you. Cooperation is the very life of a national and personal prosperity. Pull together! —Fairville (Iowa) Phoenix.

No Honest Work Wasted

No honest work is wasted. Force is never lost. You may see the results you may expect, but there is effort. Never let yourself think that anything you have done has been in vain. Effort and achievement are inseparable. —Exchange.

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SON OF RED ARROW OFFICER TO LEAD FATHER'S REGIMENT

"Little Colonel Joe" Westnedge to Take Part in Thirty-Second Division Reunion

DETROIT, Mich.—"Little Colonel Joe" Westnedge, son of the gallant leader of the 126th infantry who made the supreme sacrifice overseas,

will lead his father's old regiment when it participates in the "Red Arrow" parade in connection with the Thirty-second division's big peace reunion in Detroit, August 28, 29 and 30. "Little Colonel Joe" will wear a uniform corresponding with the dress uniform of a colonel and also given a place of honor in the "Thirty-second division grand review also.

Colonel Westnedge was one of the most popular officers of the Michigan national guard for many years. His men regarded him as a comrade through the campaigns overseas. He was stricken with influenza and pneumonia and died Nov. 29, 1918, shortly after the armistice. Both the

French and American governments awarded him posthumous citations for bravery. "Little Colonel Joe" already has participated in many affairs arranged by the 126th. Mrs. Eva Westnedge, a uniform corresponding with the dress uniform of a colonel and also given a place of honor in the "Thirty-second division grand review also.

Singing Yourself to Health Singing is recommended by a French savant for the improvement of the health. Especially nervous people are much benefited by this treatment. It is explained that it develops deep breathing and has an inexplicable soothing effect on dis-

turbed nerves. The new treatment originated with M. Frossert, of the Sorbonne, who recently explained the subject at a meeting of the French Academy of Sciences. He calls it "phonotherapeutic." He says it has had a beneficial effect on many other diseases.

Mistaking Vaccination Little Mildred ran home from school and asked, "Mamma has I ever been crucified?" "Why child, what do you mean?" asked mother, "of course not." "Well then I'll have to be," said Mildred, "cause the doctor is at school crucifying all the kids."

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36-inch Novelty Plaid Skirts, per yard **75c**

The assortment includes stylish plaid combinations in a heavy quality highly mercerized cotton material. In big demand for children's school dresses and skirts.

42-inch All Wool Storm Serge, per yard **98c**

This serge is absolutely all wool, firm heavy twill and recommended for good hard wear. Shown in a standard shade of navy blue only. Well worth \$1.25 a yard.

42-in. Novelty Stripe Serge Skirtings, per yard **\$1.50**

Shown in Roman stripe designs in four beautiful color combinations. The popular fabric for separate skirts.

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our leader Saturday at yard. This special number of Canton Crepe is priced remarkably low and is a big value for the money. Shown in staple colors of navy blue, brown, sapphire blue and grey. An ideal dress fabric.

BED BLANKETS

Plaid Bed Blankets in blue, pink, grey and tan block plaids, full size, heavy quality, well napped, shell stitched edge. A year ago this Blankets sold for \$5.95, special **\$2.59** for Saturday only, per pair



Final Clearance of Children's SCHOOL DRESSES

With anxious eyes mothers have watched summer activities play havoc on clothes wondering what in the world there is to be left for school wear. We have arranged an event for SATURDAY that will solve the problem, for it places on sale our entire stock of Children's Wash Dresses of all kinds, sizes from 2 years to 16½ at a discount from our regular prices of—

One-Fourth Off



The September Maisonettes are here

We are now showing the Maisonette apron dresses for September—the same ones you have seen advertised in the current issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. Colorful Kalbarnie gingham, charming English print, and a smart striped percale make these three new styles practical—for they wear well and keep their colors exceptionally when laundered with reasonable care. Their pretty pinks and blues, the smartness of their cut and trimming, gives them becomingness and charm.

Make your selection early—as the model you particularly like may be gone if you delay, and we cannot order more.

Maisonette
APRON DRESSES

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ROAST BEEF—Parboiled and steam roasted.
Two-pound can **29c** | One-pound can **15c**
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Peanuts, fresh, roasted, pound... **10c** | Dates, New Sair, per pound... **10c**
JELLO—Jiffy Jell or N. J. C. Jelly Powder, choice of flavors, per package **10c**

Big Sale of Men's Shirts for Saturday

We are offering a collection of Men's Shirts of all snappy new styles and patterns in either neckband or with attached button down collar. Shirts made of good quality madras, soisette, silk mercerized material and oxford cloth, \$3.00 values special for Saturday at—

\$1.69

CORSET SALE



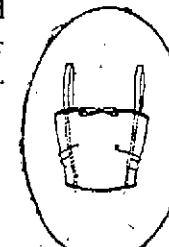
For Saturday we offer an assortment of broken sizes in elastic top, medium and high bust corsets. White or Pink. You can't duplicate these garments at this price—

\$1.49

ANOTHER BARGAIN

We also offer a confiner made of good quality white mesh cloth with a tape over shoulder, opens in the back. This is a regular 65c confiner, Saturday at

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Extra Bargains

Saturday morning, August 27th, at 9 o'clock Daylight Saving Time, we offer you the following specials:



SHOE Specials for Saturday

One lot of Boys' brown calf Shoes, English last, Goodyear Welt oak soles, all sizes from 2½ to 5½, per pair—

\$3.85

One lot of Misses' Gun Metal Calf Shoes, McKay sewed soles, wide toes, per pair—

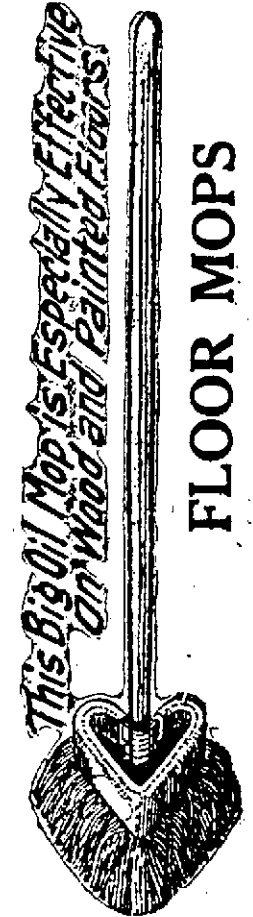
\$2.95

One lot of Women's Oxfords in black vici kid, military heel, Goodyear Welt soles, all sizes, per pair—

\$3.45

Brogue Oxfords and Pumps, low heel, Goodyear Welt soles, all sizes, per pair—

\$5.85



Oil Mops

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Gloria Cedar Oil, one of the best oils for use on Oil Mops for dusting or cleaning. An excellent renewer for high grade furniture or pianos, \$1.00 quart bottle Saturday at—

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Water Pails

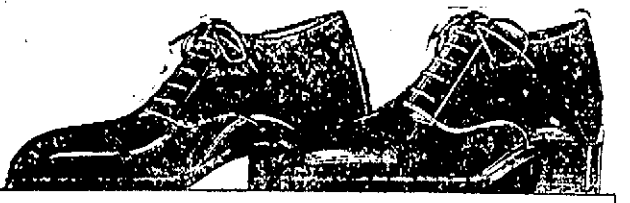
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Convictions in Nation Reach
Total of Nearly Hundred
Thousand for Year

LONDON—Drunkenness increased by over 65 percent in England during last year, according to official licensing statistics. The reaction after the war-period of sobriety was shown by 53,763 convictions, compared with 32,948 in 1919. There were only 29,075 convictions in 1918.

The convictions of women were 16 percent more than in 1919, and more than double the total of 1918. A daily express, while admitting the figures are startling, attributes the increase in convictions to the continuance of early closing regulations enforced during the war and suggests that "people who are denied reasonable facilities for obtaining liquor, have taken in their resentment more than was good for them when they could get it." The paper also holds that the closing of properly-conducted saloons has led to the opening of many bogus clubs and illicit drinking dens.

Official health returns for 1920 just issued indicate on the other hand that the nation as a whole is distinctly healthier. Tuberculosis figures are the lowest recorded since compulsory notification came into force. The number of deaths from consumption was 33,403.

The infant mortality rate, 50 per 1,000, is also the lowest recorded, while the birth rate rose from 18.5 in the previous year to 25.4 and the death rate, 12.4 shows a decline at most ages.

IRENE DANCES AGAIN



Here is Irene Castle as she appears in a dance in the forthcoming "French Heels," a movie in which she is starred. This is her first dance for stage or screen in more than two years.

COUNTRY CHILDREN AT DISADVANTAGE COMPARED TO CITY

Columbia Man Says Country
Schools are Only Fifty
Percent Efficient

NEW YORK—Disadvantages of the country school child in comparison with the city trained child are pointed out by Professor Mahel Carney of Columbia University, following a series of conferences with country school superintendents from all over the nation.

"Almost half the school children of the United States, that is 8,000,000 attend one and two teacher rural schools in buildings of the box-car type," Prof. Carney said. "Many of these buildings are neglected beyond description."

"Their school term averages 137 days a year as against 187 days a year for city children. The average daily attendance for city school children is 80 per cent, while for country children it is 65 per cent."

"All this is greatly complicated by the question of child labor on the farm. It is estimated that one million and a half of country children are engaged in farm labor to their detriment and kept out of school. For this reason illiteracy is twice as great in rural as in urban territory."

"The country boy or girl is getting only about one-half the teaching ability, less than half the supervision and not quite half the efficient administration of school affairs that is everywhere accorded the more fortunate city child."

"That country children prosper as well as they do is due more largely to the wholesome influence of the average country home than to any advantage gained in the one-teacher school. The one-teacher school is an archaic institution and should be abandoned and replaced by consolidation as quickly as possible."

"The wisest and most direct solution of our national country life problem is to be attained through proper attention to the rural schools of the country."

Manners are not useless. Just as with so many others there is an instinctive lack of courtesy which finds expression in boorishness. They prevent you from giving thoughtless hurt to others. They make you remain silent when Cupid is being played. Good manners come from a good heart.—London Express.

Dust Storm at Sea
The captain of the American vessel Santa Rosalia recently sent one of the departments at Washington, D. C., samples of a yellowish dust, which he gathered from the decks of his vessel while traversing the seas in the vicinity of China and Japan. He encountered three of these storms and gave the department the full particulars. It was discovered that this dust came from the Siberian border. The

captain said that the air was so clouded that navigation was dangerous for a time.

Thief is Studying Criminology
There is a thief in the criminology class of the University of California and all the other students are exercising their knowledge of the sub-

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IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

DUBLIN—Viscount Fitzalan, lord lieutenant and governor general of Ireland, was summoned to London to confer with the cabinet.

SAN FRANCISCO—Transcontinental rail carriers have agreed on reduced rates for iron and steel products originating at eastern points and only need the concurrence of New England lines to make them effective. G. W. Ince, general freight agent of the Southern Pacific company, announced.

PEKING—Hundreds of villages have been destroyed and thousands of persons left homeless by an overflow of the Hoang Ho or Yellow river.

WASHINGTON—Railroads of the country earned \$174,662,167 during the six months ending in June, as against \$31,721,706 during the same period last year, the interstate commerce commission announced.

MANNERS

Manners are a pleasant deceit—a conspiracy to rob existence of much of its crudity. Because of them the elusive element of charm lingers in the world, and gentler natures are encouraged to their robust growth.

A lot of efficient people, though, have discarded manners as so much unnecessary impedimenta.

Why rise when a woman enters the room? Why appear interested when others talk? Why ask to be remembered to the people you have hitherto forgotten? Why thank anyone for giving you what you have paid for? There is not much reason or logic behind it all. It is merely that with

finer natures there is an instinctive courtesy that expresses itself in manners.

Not a Drop Left
Passenger (barraging into car): There's a man in the next car just fallen in a fit.
Another Passenger: Too late, old fellow; last drop's gone; man just had a fit here.—Life.

An amateur mariner of Los Angeles is preparing to make a voyage to the South Sea Islands in a 34-foot yawl.

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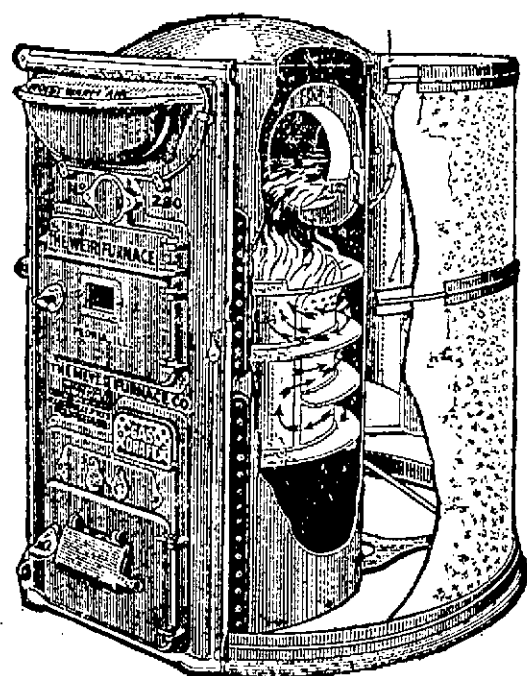
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cy Silk Skirts, values up to \$15, at...

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all new Fall styles, wonderful val-
ues up to \$16.50, Saturday at....

These are sample skirts, only one of a style.

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All Wool Zephyr Yarn Sweaters, values up **\$6.95**
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Women's extra size Silk Tricolette Blouses, **\$6.45**
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72-inch Pure Linen Table Damask, \$4.50 value, **\$3.50**
Saturday per yard

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Tomorrow our store will be particularly interesting because
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LEARNED TO KNOW AMERICA THROUGH EVENING SCHOOLS

Racine Man Tells Member of State Board What the Opportunity Has Meant to Him

MADISON, Wis.—That the evening schools have furnished opportunities for boys and girls in this state who are unable to get an education during the daytime is disclosed in a letter of John Slezak of Racine, who tells how his ambitions were fired by attending evening schools in Racine. The following letter was sent by Slezak to a member of the state board of education:

"Reviewing my experiences of the past few years, I am moved to express to you my gratitude and appreciation for the good I have received through the evening schools of Racine, Wisconsin.

"In 1914, when you were in charge of the vocational schools in Racine, I received my first glimpse of an evening school. To learn the English language and to be able to read English was the height of my ambition. Being ignorant of the American customs, government, and history I was more or less prejudiced against the average American. However, under the splendid environment of the evening school, which served me as an eye-opener, I have not only changed my opinions concerning the American people, but I have also changed the course of my life and set up my ambitions to a much higher level. These moments when America and her opportunities were unfolded to me as an open book, shall never fade in my memory.

"During the evening school course, I realized that there was a chance for me to go to a high school and later to a college. In the fall of 1916, I entered Racine high school, from which I graduated in the spring of 1918. In April of the year 1918, I entered the service of the United States government, so the progress of my ambition was slightly retarded. However, in the fall of the year 1919, I reached the place after which my heart was yearning for years—I entered the college of engineering of the University of Wisconsin.

"This, in a few words, gives you the vision to which the evening schools opened my eyes. Not only have I learned to love America and her institutions, but I have also learned to appreciate the efforts of the men who, through the vocational schools, are absorbing large numbers of the coming aliens by opening their eyes to the splendid ideals and opportunities of this great country."

Dried Vegetables
The government bureau of chemistry is trying to popularize the "dehydrated" vegetables which are beginning to be sold for soup mixtures. It is thought that these mixtures of vegetables which are absolutely water-free, might be used to great advantage by housewives. They are quite as good for soups as fresh material and far cheaper. One hotel to which sample packages were sent for trial reported that one pound of the stuff made 125 "portions." The only important obstacle to the introduction of these concentrated soup vegetables seems to lie in the difficulty of overcoming old prejudices. —Philadelphia Ledger.

Room for More
Bishop Bratton, at a dinner in Jackson, was generally patronized by a millionaire.
"I never go to church," the millionaire said. "I guess you've noticed that, bishop?"
"Yes, I have noticed it," said Bishop Bratton, gravely.
"I guess you wonder why I never go to church, don't you?" the millionaire pursued. "Well, I'll tell you why, bishop. There are so many hypocrites there."

Refuge in Silence
Mary Marcia had come to spend the day with relatives and had been told not to leave the yard.
During the morning she spied some little folks at a distance and went off. I had been telling her how naughty it was to go out of the yard, when our next-door neighbor joined the group.
Knowing how fond she was of the neighbor, I said: "Now, Mary Mary Marcia, tell uncle where you went."

For a moment she looked at the ground, then exclaimed: "Oh, I'm not talking now." —Chicago Tribune.

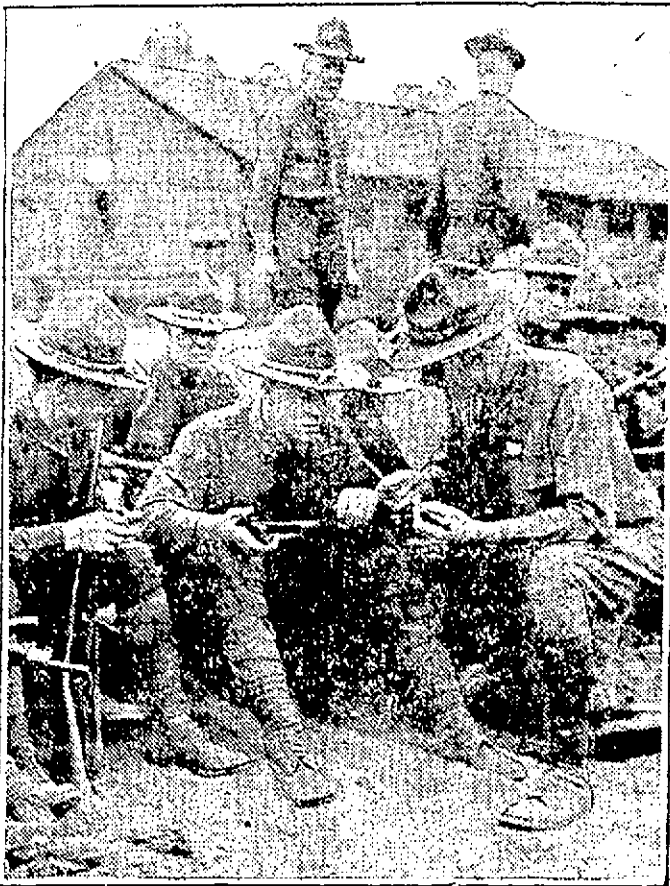
Why Not?
An auto concert, advertised "The car with a conscience." Correspondent suggests also: "The motor with a mind." "The vehicle with vim." "The truck that thinks." —Boston Transcript.

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A PHOTOGRAPH FOR VETERANS



This picture will bring back training-day memories to the fellows who participated in the World War. These rookies, who are being taught how to take down a rifle and clean it, are civilians taking a training course at Plattsburg, N. Y., where many emergency army officers were trained.

INFORMATION 'CHEERFULLY GIVEN'

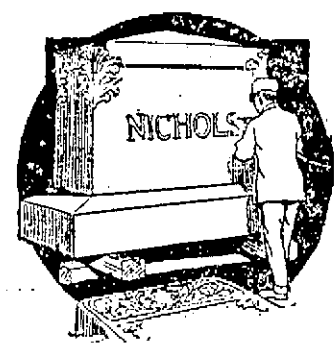
A few years ago in a college examination in English literature the question was asked: "Who was the first man to write sonnets in England?" A student who sat near me, more noted of athletic prowess than for scholarship, called to me in a stage whisper: "Sssst! Who was the first man?" The professor in the front of the room gave us both a cold, unimpassioned glare and calmly said: "Adams!" —Chicago Journal.

Beg Your Pardon
"Show him up," said the patient editor, and the fuming visitor was conducted into his presence.
"I want an explanation," cried the visitor, shaking his fist in the editor's face.
"Why, what's the matter?" asked the editor.
"See here!" shouted the visitor. "What do you mean by publishing my resignation from my political office in this way?"
The editor raised his eyebrows in surprise. "Way, I thought you gave out the story yourself."

"So I did," replied the retiring politician, bursting with rage, "but I didn't tell you to print the news under the head of 'Public Improvement!'"

In a man's life there are three tragedies. The first is when he decides he's too old for Lord Fauntleroy; the second is when he decides he's too old for Lord Fauntleroy; and the third is when he decides he's too old for Lord Fauntleroy. —C. L. Lien, Druggist.

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And so few boost
For the
Other fellow's car,
I thought
They all were bad,
Excepting one
Which was rated bad
By most of them.
And so I decided
That I would try
That one out
To see
If folks
All told the truth.
So I took a ride

In this car
Over rough roads
And through the sand,
And up steep hills.
We went so fast
I lost my hat,
And so slow—
A mile an hour.
I finally asked
What's wrong
With this car?
And he answered
Ask the man
Who don't own one
Or never rode in one.
And he got my order
And it was
A Mitchell.

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NEARLY A MILLION ACRES OF WISCONSIN LAND BEING DRAINED

Landowners Co-operating Under State Laws to Make Wet Land Tillable

MADISON, Wis.—Nearly 1,000,000 acres of Wisconsin land have been organized into drainage projects where landowners co-operate under Wisconsin laws in construction of outlet drains to make the areas suitable for profitable farming, according to the statement of E. E. Jones, chairman of the department of agricultural engineering at the university.

The 1920 census shows that 814,569 acres have been organized under the 1919 law, while it is estimated that fully 100,000 acres remains under the old town ditch law, with records poorly kept or lost. Prof. Jones says. There are nearly 7,000,000 acres of land in Wisconsin too wet for good farming, the census estimates.

From July 1, 1919, to January 1, 1921, applications were made for reports on 66 drainage organizations. Twelve reports are said to have been in preparation at the end of that period, and 54 completed of which 6 were unfavorable. These six projects

were dropped on advice of the state chief engineer.

The 48 feasible projects consist of two drainage districts and 46 farm drainages aggregating 1,110,000 acres, at an estimated cost of \$904,680.

The drainage organization acts through a board of three men under the jurisdiction of the county or circuit courts. It puts in only the main outlet drains, leaving the farmers to put in their own supplemental drains. There are no available state funds for the work.

Mush soils are said by Prof. Jones to be commonly rich in nitrogen, but poor in phosphorus and potash. With proper drainage, fertilization and management these soils are among the most valuable in the state, he says.

During the War

"Please help an unfortunate man," whined the beggar.
"What's the matter with you?" asked the crusty old gentleman.
"I was injured during the war," the beggar said.
"Don't you try to make me believe you are a war hero."
"I didn't say that, sir, and I wouldn't try to impose on a gentleman who's as smart as you are," said the beggar, with an insinuating air.
"I was struck by a truck in the fall of 1917," —Birmingham Age-Herald.

As She Is Wrote

"The masculine of spinster is here," wrote a Malaysian schoolgirl. Another girl, intending to use the word "opposite," blundered into what,

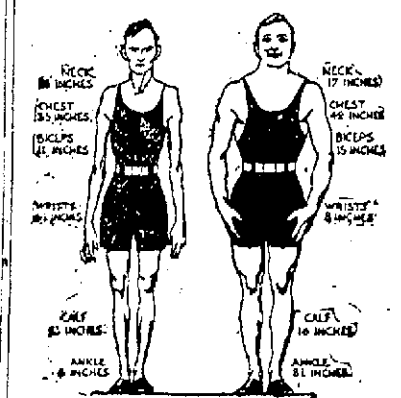
some husbands will call a gangster's wife. "A wife," she wrote, "is the opposite of the husband." —Boston Transcript.

The Woolworth building isn't any higher than home building.

Chances Were He'd Get It
Employer—You put that note where it will be sure to attract Mr. Smith's attention, didn't you?
Office Boy—Yes, sir; I stuck a pin through it and put it on his chair.

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79c

Look at These Voile Prices!

Final clearance of Voiles, at these prices it will pay you to lay them aside for next season, as our loss is your gain. Entire stock divided into three lots:

LOT 1—Sold up to 79c a yard, Clearance price per yard—

19c

LOT 2—Sold up to \$1.25 a yard, Clearance price a yard—

39c

LOT 3—Sold up to \$2.00 a yard, Clearance price a yard—

59c

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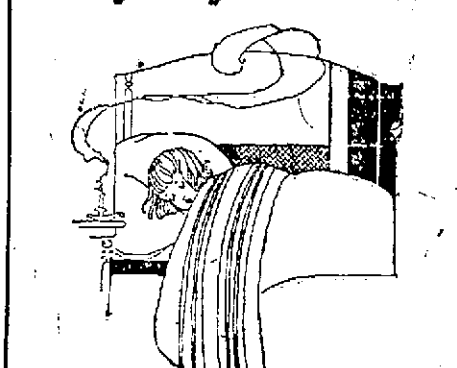
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Ladies' Silk Hose, ribbed top, a special bargain for Saturday at—

\$1.00

per pair —————
We know of no better Hose for service.

Buy Blankets on Our Easy Payment Plan



Just received another shipment of Beacon Blankets. Buy your Blankets now on the easy paying plan and you will have them paid for when you will need them. One dollar down and one dollar a week until paid for. See our window display.

Wash and Jumper Dresses

Our entire stock of Wash Dresses—also Jumper Dresses included—divided into two lots:

LOT 1—Values up to \$8.98, to close—

\$2.98

LOT 2—Values up to \$29.98, to close—

\$6.98

Skirts at a Bargain

For final Clearance all Sport Skirts in silk and wool, values up to \$25.00, to close at—

\$10.00

Our entire stock of White Wash Skirts divided into two lots:

LOT 1—Values up to \$6.00, to close—

\$2.98

LOT 2—Values up to \$10, to close—

\$4.98

Buy Waists Now

Three specials in Waists:

LOT 1—Values up to \$3.98, to close—

\$1.98

LOT 2—Values up to \$8.98, to close—

\$3.98

LOT 3—Values up to \$10.98, to close—

\$5.98

SPECIALS in Our BASEMENT STORE

Specials in Children's Gingham Dresses, in checks, plaids and plain colors, at—

\$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98

Children's Bloomers in white and black, made of extra quality sateen, sizes 8 to 18 years, at—

69c

FOR SATURDAY SELLING

Ladies' fine Nainsook Bloomers and embroidery trimmed drawers, special at—

69c

Children's Rompers, made of good quality gingham, in checks and plain colors, special at—

\$1.00

Ladies' Kitchen Aprons, special at—

50c

Ladies' Bungalow Aprons in light and dark colors, special at—

\$1.00

Ladies' and Children's Outing Flannel Night Gowns, special at—

\$1.00

BOYS' EMPLOYMENT BUREAU MAKES GOOD RECORD IN IOWA CITY

Ninety-three Boys Placed at Work During the Summer; Some Jobs Permanent

WEBSTER CITY, Iowa.—A boy's employment bureau, established by the local chamber of commerce last May, has placed ninety-three boys at work during the summer, according to A. A. Burger, secretary of the chamber.

Much of this employment was for short terms—a day, an afternoon, or a week. However, twenty-one permanent summer positions were found for applicants.

A feature of the work is that newspaper publicity was the only advertising given this occupational clearing house.

Among the more usual tasks were lawn mowing, distributing posters, delivering packages, window washing and cleaning yards. Many of the jobs were of a routine nature, but the records divulge an interesting diversity of labors accomplished. One boy spent a week as a temporary office boy; another collected bills; one planted lawn seed; and a fourth, of domestic inclinations, was employed to help can strawberries.

The aptitude and versatility of the workmen is attested by the fact that not a single complaint was registered with the chamber of employers.

The boy's employment bureau was the outgrowth of the regular employment bureau, which was established at the beginning of the year by the chamber of commerce.

Art Criticism
Arthur, aged nine, returned from his first visit to the John Harmon Art Institute with such a depressed air that his mother was puzzled.

"Didn't you like it dear?"
"Not much. Mostly there were people with their heads cut off."

"But there must have been some pictures of animals and trees and lovely country."
"Oh, a few, but," in disgust, "there were more of people doing things they shouldn't."

"Things they shouldn't?"

"Yes, some of them had taken off all of their clothes, even their union suits."—Indianapolis News.

A Fair Warning
"Are you a competent bookkeeper?"
"I've had twenty years' experience, sir."

"I think you'll do, but we have a questionnaire for you to fill out, just as a matter of form."
"All right, sir, but I'll have to tell you in advance that I don't know where we get most of our sponges."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Got Acquainted
"Having any success with your garden?"
"The best ever," replied Mr. Jagsby.

"What are you raising?"
"Nothing. But if I hadn't had a row with one of my new neighbors over his chickens and then a reconciliation I might not have discovered that he has a well stocked cellar."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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them. The youngsters give a most finished and entertaining performance with their various character singing and dancing and were encouraged again and again last night at the Majestic.

Blough and Austin supplied a lot of fun in their comedy offering "Tut Tut." Wanda Hawley is a most irresistible comedienne in the feature photoplay, "The House That Jazz Built."

INA CLAIRE IN BELASCO

PLAY AND JUBILEE GIRLS ON RIVIERA BILL TODAY

How Ina Claire, enacting as every one knows, the principal part of a current Broadway stage success, has found time to repeat her portrayal of the celebrated title part of "Polly With a Past" is one of life's and the theater's mysteries. But obviously

It has been accomplished; for the Riviera theater announces the picture presentation of this Belasco stage hit, written by George Middleton and Guy Bolton, today and Saturday. This overcomes one of the public's—more accurately the public's one—objection to Ina Claire: that her popularity in New York precluded her appearance elsewhere, either personally or on the screen.

The story of Polly and the method of her acquisition of a past is one that pleased theatergoers for a long and successful season and brought Ina Claire a long and sensational prominence. It is of a girl, who, for certain reasons and for a certain young man, took on a spiky reputation and then—here was the real hitch—had to live up to it.

The song numbers given by the Jubilee Girls in "Easy and Cohn's Troubles," the musical offering for today and Saturday are: Harry Bowers and girls, "Honey Rose"; Bonnie Benedict and girls, "I Never Knew"; Betty Martin and girls, "Sweet Daddy"; Marie Pfeil and Betty Martin in "Humpty Dumpty"; Golden's Harmony Four in a varied program of quartet numbers.

JACKIE COOGAN—RIVOLI

All doubt as to the popularity of six-year-old Jackie Coogan, at least as far as this community is concerned, is removed thoroughly and completely by the extraordinary reception which the lovable little chap is receiving this week in his latest starring vehicle, "Peck's Bad Boy," at the Rivoli Theater. It will conclude its engagement on Saturday. "Peck's Bad Boy" is an Associated First National release, and among those to be seen in the cast with Jackie are Wheeler Oakman, Doris May, James Corrigan, Lillian Leighton, Raymond Hatton, Charles Hatter and Baby Gloria Wood.

WANDA HAWLEY—MAJESTIC

A situation that has occurred to thousands of married couples is unfolded in "The House That Jazz Built," the new Realart picture which opened at the Majestic theater last evening. This comedy treats of domestic discord in a clever, entertaining manner that carries unusual appeal—and accomplishes the showman's desire of "sending 'em away with a laugh."

We see a young couple starting out on their married life, poor, hustling and thoroughly happy. The wife is a splendid little home-maker and a real help-mate. Then the husband gets a fine position with a huge salary, and they move from their modest suburban bungalow to a luxurious city apartment. The husband lavishes money upon

his wife, insists on servants, and asks only that the wife shall live up to his new position. The result of her enforced idleness and his petting is that in a few years the wife has grown indolent, stout, dull and quite unattractive. The husband begins to awake to the fact that his wife is no longer his ideal.

Of course at this critical juncture, another woman, a frigid, heartless, but beautiful and perfectly groomed type, appears on the scene. The husband inevitably contrasts her to his wife to the latter's disadvantage, and ends by leaving home and succumbing to the lady vampire.

The wife, however, was born with a backbone. She comes to her senses, exercises and trims down. The result is that she wins back her husband and routs the vamp completely.

This brisk, wholesome comedy will remain at the Majestic theater for two days longer. Other numbers on the excellent bill at the playhouse are: The four Gray sisters and Blough and Austin in vaudeville and Charlie Chaplin in "Easy Street," a comedy.

"LOVE'S BATTLE"—STRAND

Miss Eileen Sedgwick in a western costume and later in the home of the governor is exceedingly good looking as she takes the central part in "Love's Battle," at the Strand today. The picture shows this popular star more youthful and charming than ever. First she is seen in a restaurant in a small western town. Then she gives the sheriff assistance when the mad mob want to lynch her lover. Again she is seen attractively clad when she invades the home of the governor to plead for her lover's life.

The story is a vivid portrayal of a beautiful girl attempting to prove to an odorous governor that circumstantial evidence is not sufficient to condemn a man to death. Her manner of doing this is indeed novel and effective.

"FIRE CAT"—CASINO

The earth shuddered and a volcano swept forth its scalding wrath to cleanse the Godless town of Purisima

MAJESTIC

THE COMFY THEATRE.

TODAY AND CONTINUOUS SHOW, SATURDAY

WANDA HAWLEY

—IN—

"THE HOUSE THAT JAZZ BUILT"

You will laugh until you weep at the carryings-on of these newlyweds. She is without a doubt the most irresistible comedy artist on the screen.

—ALSO—

CHARLIE CHAPLIN

—IN—

"On Easy Street"

—AND—

VAUDEVILLE

THE CLASSY KIND.

Gray Sisters Four

A speedy musical revue of youth and laughter with a wealth of singing and dancing.

BLOUGH and AUSTIN

—IN—

"Tut Tut"

A comedy offering.

PRICES MATINEE

Adults, Lower Floor 28c
Balcony 22c
Children 11c

NIGHT

Adults, Lower Floor 33c
Balcony 28c
Children 11c
Including tax.

RESERVE YOUR SEATS FOR SUNDAY'S SUPER-VAUDEVILLE SHOW NOW.

WIFE OF LISBON WORKMAN CRAWLS TWO MILES ON HER KNEES TO GIVE THANKS FOR HUSBAND'S RECOVERY FROM ILLNESS

LISBON.—A curious sight was witnessed in the streets of Lisbon just after dawn recently. Maria Conceicao, wife of a workman, was seen dragging herself painfully on her knees from her home through the busy streets to the Church of Our Lady of Health, thus carrying out a vow made during the illness of her husband, in case of his recovery. The distance from her home to the church was over two miles and long before she had accomplished one-half of her pilgrimage, her knees were torn by the stones and her dress was stained with blood.

Maria's husband, a young tinner, fell seriously ill about six months ago and was given up by the doctors. His devoted wife tended him with untiring care and love and when it was thought that he was dying, she prayed for a miracle that should save his life, making a vow that if he recovered she would go on her knees, as a sign of thanksgiving, to the shrine of The Lady of Health.

The husband recovered and the wife has finished her vow.

Period of Rest Coming
See the studious young man. How solemn he is. His brow overhangs like the back of a snapping turtle, and he is as ominous as the first mutterings of an earthquake. He burns the midnight oil in great quantities, pouring over ponderous tomes until he is worn almost to skin and bones. But never mind, he will presently have ample opportunity to rest. In a short while he will be admitted to the bar, and after that he will not have anything to do.—Kansas City Star.

Tut! Tut!
A recent invention is a pair of horse blinders for golf players to help them concentrate their attention. Why not add a bit that they can champ instead of bursting into profanity?

COOPER'S Strand

Shows on Standard Time.

Prices: 11c and 22c

HERE TODAY and SATURDAY

THE PICTURE THAT IS ALL THRILLS.

JOE MOORE and EILEEN SEDGWICK in LOVE'S BATTLE



A powerful and graphic picture of the injustice of circumstantial evidence.

—ALSO—

Fox News

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rath are invited to the Strand Saturday as guests of the management.

RIVIERA

NORTH LA CROSSE, WIS.

Prices: Children, 11c; Adults, 33c. The Big Town Show at Small Prices.

TWO IN ONE!

TODAY AND SATURDAY! SOME SHOW!

MAX GOLDEN'S

JUBILEE GIRLS

The story of a girl who became an adventuress over night.

"Easy and Cohn's Troubles"

Get ready for the goshdriest, funniest musical show yet shown.

COMEDY, "LADIES' PET"

RIVIERA ORCHESTRA

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MORNING STAR MILLS—A. Grams & Sons, La Crosse.

Capitol STEAMER DE LUXE

Last Moonlight Excursion of the Season

MONDAY, AUGUST 29th

Boat leaves 8:30 P. M. and returns 11:30 P. M.

Under auspices Employees' Mutual Benefit Ass'n of the J. A. Salzer Seed Co.

Tickets 75c, including war tax.

PEPPY ORCHESTRA. PEPPY MUSIC.

STRECKFUS STEAMBOAT LINE—ST. LOUIS

Out in Society

MRS. C. W. NOBLE IS GUEST OF HONOR AT AFTERNOON BRIDGE

THE TABLES were played on Thursday afternoon when Mrs. A. R. Baldwin entertained at bridge at her home, 123 South Eighth street. The party was delightfully informal, and was given in compliment to Mrs. Charles W. Noble of Chicago. The favors were won by Mrs. McKee and Mrs. Homer Hart and the guest prize went to Mrs. Noble. Mrs. Noble is being welcomed by many old friends.

MRS. J. PERRIN of Clarksville, Iowa, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas S. Jves, 115 South Tenth street.

LESTER POPE is visiting his mother in town on his return from Denver and Colorado Springs, in South, Mich. At Denver he attended the convention of the Federal Life Insurance company.

MR. AND MRS. P. Kendall have returned from Los Angeles, Calif., after a three months' visit.

MR. AND MRS. William H. Krueger, 1810 George street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Gretchen Irene, to Roy S. Gunderson of Lodi, Wis. The ceremony took place Wednesday noon, at the home of the bride, Rev. H. O. Vik officiating. The couple left on an auto trip to Milwaukee and Chicago. They will return to Lodi, where they will reside. Mrs. Gunderson is a graduate of the La Crosse high school and of La Crosse normal. For the last three years she has been a teacher at Lodi. Mr. Gunderson is connected with the Columbia bank of Lodi.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made of the marriage of Mrs. Kathryn Peterson and Edward Palmer, both of this city, which took place on August 9. Rev. Ambrose Murphy performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will be at home after October 1 at 1432 George street.

THE LADIES' AID society of the Evangelical Free church, Fifteenth and Winnebago streets, will be entertained Friday evening at eight o'clock daylight saving time, at the church parlors by the Misses Dena Berg and Christina Olsen. Mr. O. Larsen, a student of Minneapolis, will speak. Refreshments will be served.

A SON, eight and one-half pounds, Harold Henry, Jr., was born Friday morning at half-past eight to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Panzian at the La Crosse hospital. Mrs. Panzian was formerly Miss Mabel Cohen of this city.

MR. AND MRS. Arthur J. Jung, 405 1/2 North Fourteenth street, are the parents of a daughter, Mary Loraine, Monday morning, at 8:30, August 22.

MISS VERENA BREUER pleasantly entertained at a wicker and marshmallow roast at Pettibone park in honor of Dr. John Schenck of Baltimore, Md. The other guests were the Misses Maude O'Brien, Marion Dahly, Hazel Orville, Frieda Schaefer and Messrs. William Conchlin, William Miller, Guido and John Breuer.

MR. AND MRS. Oscar F. Paulson, 326 Cass street, are the parents of an eight and one-half pound daughter, born at St. Ann's hospital, Thursday morning, August 25, at 5 o'clock.

MISS DOROTHY OTT entertained at a merry costume party at her home, 1720 Cameron avenue, in honor of Miss Valma Young and Mr. Frank Birbaum, who soon leave to resume their studies at the University of Wisconsin. The evening was spent dancing and at midnight lunch was served. Miss Olga Skoy and Mr. Gordon Taggart won the prizes for the most ridiculous costumes. Those present were the Misses Valma Young, Lillian and Agnes Young, Pearl and Thelma Johnson, Olga Skoy, and Messrs. Robert Ormsby, Bernard Kozmin, George Kabet, Clarence Reuter, Gordon Taggart, William and Frank Birbaum.

EIGHT GIRL RESERVES of the Y. W. C. A., representing several groups, are spending the week at the association camp on French Island, under the care of Miss Bern G. Swindell, girls' work director. In the party are Lu-

COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken. Before deciding upon dates confer with Chamber of Commerce, Phone 34, and avoid conflict.)

Sep. 18—Picnic by Low Twelve club—Agricultural School grounds—All Masons, their families and friends invited.

Oct. 10—Normal Lecture Course—First Concerto—Ricardo Martin, Tenor.

Nov. 1—Normal Lecture Course—Vern Poppe, cellist, and Edna Ver Hunt, contralto.

Nov. 4—Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra—Eugene Tesye, Conductor—Music Study club—La Crosse Theater.

Dec. 16—Charles Norman Granville, Baritone—Edna Gunnar Peterson-Thompson, pianist—Music Study Club—La Crosse Theater.

Feb. 13—Joint Recital—Harold Bauer, Pianist—Pablo Casals, cellist—Music Study Club—La Crosse Theater.

elle Hovind, Caroline Nenkichen, Gertrude Rasch, Frances Burgess, Margaret Lowry, Edith Becker, Jeanette Teande and Alva Fors. It is announced that the Labor day week-end is open to anyone desiring to take advantage of the camp facilities, and reservations may be made by telephoning Miss Swindell at the camp, No. 2648-C, 3 rings.

MR. AND MRS. John Gunderson and daughter Dolores, who came to attend the Krueger-Gunderson wedding, have returned to their home in Lodi.

AGE-OLD PHILOSOPHY

Cunningham Graham, the famous traveler, said one day at the Knickerbocker club:

"I am a bachelor, and I find that even among the most backward and savage people bachelorhood is looked on as a sign of wisdom.

"Once in Tartary a chieftain asked me if I had a wife.

"No, exalted one," I answered. "I am a bachelor."

"The chieftain gave me a thoughtful nod. Then he said thoughtfully: 'As our Tartar proverb has it: 'While the wise man is thinking about getting married the fool has his sixth daughter born to him.'"

Los Angeles Times.

Counteracting Printer's Poison There is something in printer's ink which poisons those who have to work in it and the Public Health Service has been conducting some experiments with the view of overcoming it. The result of these experiments is a recommendation that a mixture of lard and olive oil, half and half, be kept in the washroom where printers change their clothes. Before entering the pressrooms each worker should be required to rub the stuff well into the pores of hands and arms. At the end of each shift he should remove the ink with a mixture of soap and sawdust, which will accomplish the object readily and without injury to the skin.

Man to Man After the prisoner had been duly fined for cruelty to the wife of his bosom, he was asked to go to the magistrate's private room. There he found the great man waiting.

"Look here," said the latter, "your wife in her evidence just now said you had her completely terrorized."

"She did sir," agreed the man; "but—"

"Now, look here! I am not speaking to you as in my official capacity, but as man to man. You understand that?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, then how did you do it?"

Houston Post.

First League of Nations Dr. E. A. Bates of Cornell university is campaigning in the interest of industrial education for the Indians. Dr. Bates asserted that Indians created the first league of nations when they organized the powerful tribes known as the "Six Nations."

AT WHITE HOUSE



Charles R. Warren, of Detroit, will sail Sept. 1 as ambassador to Japan. He has just returned from a tour of Europe. The photo shows him as he left the white house where he conferred with the president.

NATIVES OF HAWAII WERE REAL PIONEERS IN THE FLYING GAME

Early Day Inhabitants Got Thrills by Leaping off Cliffs With Home-made "Planes"

HONOLULU, T. H.—Thrills of flying were enjoyed by Hawaiians centuries before aviation was invented, according to stories told by natives of today. Their ancestors got their aerial excitement by jumping off cliffs into the ocean in home-made "planes."

They made a regular game of it, known as "lele pahi" or "jumping from the cliff." It was played up to a hundred years or so ago by natives who lived near groves of loulou palms near high cliffs overlooking the ocean.

Details of the game have been obtained by William J. Coelco, a former newspaper editor now an officer of the Hale on a T.H. Hawaii (House of Chiefs). This is what he says of the vanished sport:

The game was played with huge contrivances built of light but stout sticks and overwoven with loulou palm leaves. Several of these affairs were made ready, the Hawaiian "aviators" took their seats, and were pushed over towering cliffs at the same time. The adventurer who remained longest in the air was the winner.

Often through carelessness or excitement a "plane" would execute a nose dive similar to those of twentieth century airplanes. The only damage was the loss of the game.

Old Hawaiians say that their flying men were exceptionally skillful. The only means they had of guiding their crude appliances was to shift their weight to maintain balance as they zigzagged down toward the sea.

A fleet of outrigger canoes anchored offshore to pick of the sportsmen and relieve the "planes."

Exceptionally daring Hawaiians often hopped off thousand foot cliffs on the mainland. It is said.

MAKE U. S. GREATEST AIR POWER AIM OF OMAHA CONVENTION

Aero Congress Expected to Favor Establishment of National Air Organization

OMAHA—Formation of a national air organization with the idea of making America the foremost nation in aviation is expected at an international aero congress sponsored by the aero club of Omaha to be held here Nov. 2-5 at which time a reunion of aviators who served in the American and allied armies during the world war are to meet for the first time since the armistice.

The reunion, which is to follow immediately after completion of the national convention of the American Legion at Kansas City, will bring together many of the American aces, while delegates from every state in the union are expected to attend the meeting for forming the national air organization.

At the same time a complete exhibit of every type of aircraft manufactured in this and foreign countries will be held, while another feature of the gathering will be an aviation meet with nearly \$15,000 offered as cash prizes. Attempts for the new speed and altitude records, are to be made. Among entertainment features will be the bombing of a French village and a battle in the air.

City Briefs

Dance Yeomen Hall, Sat. Long's Sun, Frisco Five. Popular prices. Osteopathy—Dr. Jorris, Newburg Bg. Bicycle Bargains, Wells' Book Store, 3-8 in. Maple Hardwood Flooring, \$50.00 per thousand square feet. La Crosse Lumber and Supply Co.

20 percent off on all electric fixtures during August. Linker Electric Co., Phone 398.

Special 2 qt. fruit jars. Elite and Iris.

Zowie—That Jazzerimba Quintet is great. Dressbach, Aug. 27.

A nine-pound son was born Tuesday, Aug. 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weigel, 624 Tyler street.

Acme Hall, Dance Saturday night. Clark's Ragadance.

Knickerbocker Spraybrushes. Get yours at the Baker-Niebuhr Co. Seven sizes, \$2.50 to \$8.00.

Dance tonight, Silverdale, near Sparta, Jazzerimba Quintet.

\$22.50 will buy a suit, from us that is really Tailor Made and Guaranteed. Globe Tailor Shop, Opp. Majestic Theater.

La Crosse Confectionery, 229 Main. Our Ice Cream Sodas and Sundae, 11c.

Miss Jean Cordell, of Milwaukee is visiting her mother here.

50 beautiful new Fur Coats, Astonishing sale prices week of Aug. 29th Wisconsin Fur Co. 113 No. 3rd St. Paperhanging, C. A. Tosterud, Phone 2144-R.

3-8 in. Maple Hardwood Flooring, \$50.00 per thousand square feet. La Crosse Lumber and Supply Co.

Bankrupt Sale of Electrical fixtures Appliances, Plumbing material, and Tools at Thill-Manning Whalen Co's. Smoke the New San Ardo the quality Cigar.

W. Tansche, has returned after transacting business in Holmen.

Dyke's Best Flour, try next time. Have your next suit made-to-measure. We are showing the fashionable Herringbone weaves, novelty checks, and the over popular stripes in a great variety of shades and designs. Prices, \$22.50 to \$60.00 Globe Tailor shop, Opp. Majestic Theater.

Dr. J. A. Schenck has returned to Baltimore after a visit at the home

FRECKLES

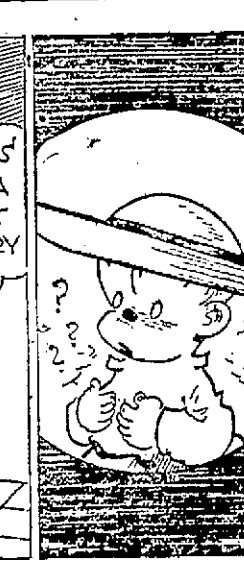
AGALONG WAS THOUGHT TO HAVE SWALLOWED A PIN SO HE WAS IMMEDIATELY SENT TO THE DOCTOR TO HAVE AN X-RAY TAKEN—



TAG ADMITS IT!



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of Mr. and Mrs. George Breuer, 909-Avon street.

Knickerbocker Spraybrushes. Get yours at the Baker-Niebuhr Co. Seven sizes, \$2.50 to \$8.00.

Regular dinners and suppers, short orders, day and night, served at Empire, 117 So. 3rd, Special Sunday dinners. Under new management, E. W. Harris.

Wm. Heslip has moved to his new meat market across the street, 1722 George.

Mrs. Carley and daughter, Gladys, have returned to Chicago, after a visit here.

50 beautiful new Fur Coats, Astonishing sale prices week of Aug. 29th Wisconsin Fur Co. 113 No. 3rd St. Dance at Gollinicks Sunday, Aug. 28, Gray's Ragamuffins.

A daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Paulson, Wednesday.

Shoe repairing done the reliable economy way. Work called for and delivered. The Economy Shoe Shop, Phone 1717, Green 1003 So. 16th St.

Your plumbing troubles promptly attended to. W. P. Schram, Phone 46. Fred Vingers, is visiting in Alma, Wis.

Windows Cleaned. Office or Store fronts. La Crosse Window Cleaning Co., Phone 268.

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\$7.50 \$5 \$10

Hats of Lyons Velvet, Duveltyne, Panné Velvet, Silk Velvet, Soft Rolled-up Hats Chin Chins, and close fitting Hats.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Smart Trimmed Hats

Black, brown, navy and Black Lyons Velvet, combined with assorted colored suede cloth, for

\$3.00

WOOLWORTH'S 5c and 10c Store

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

18x36 Sanoline Floor Mats each—10c

Fresh Ginger Snaps pound—10c

Fresh Salted Peanuts pound—10c

Did you get your share of White Laundry Soap 5c BAR

Jap Cups 10c Saucers 5c

Aluminum Sauce Pans and Kettles 10c

Russia-Crash Toweling yard—10c

Wrigley's Gum 3 pkgs.—10c

Now Is the Time to Buy Your Canning Supplies at

WOOLWORTH'S

WE TOLD YOU

all summer long to put up your winter's supply of eggs. Did you do it? If not get busy at once. Drop in and get a bottle of

HOESCHLER'S EGG KEEPER

the original and best. The kind that almost every other family in La Crosse use and have used for years. This is proof enough that we have the goods. Then why take chances on an imitation. All good things are imitated, that is why the market is flooded with so-called egg preservers. One quart of Hoeschler's Egg Keeper will make enough solution to preserve 12 to 14 dozen eggs and only cost 30c. Bring in your own bottle and get it for a quarter. Special price in larger quantity. Full directions and special instructions on every bottle. Remember that you must get fresh eggs, not old nor stale, as nothing will make a spoiled egg fresh. Let us talk it over as we can save you money.

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Our method of developing and finishing brings out the best in the films. Bring the next roll to us.

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124 So. Third St.

BADGER STATE HAS 76 FEWER PAPERS THAN 8 YEARS AGO

Wisconsin Now Has Fifty Daily
and 369 Weekly News-
papers

THIRD OF STATE DAILIES ARE
INDEPENDENT IN POLITICS

Six Badger Cities Have More
than One Daily Paper

MADISON, Wis.—The number of newspapers published in Wisconsin is diminishing from the height it reached in 1913 when there were 595 daily or weekly publications, figures compiled from the state blue book show. From 59 daily papers and 536 weekly papers the number has fallen to 50 dailies and 369 weeklies.

This large decrease in the number of weekly papers is attributed to consolidations in a number of counties, while the decrease of nine in the number of dailies is due to the same cause, it is believed.

Out of the 419 papers published in 1921 there were 208 registered as republican in politics, 61 democratic, 155 independent, three socialist, one nonpartisan league and one prohibition.

Seventeen of the independent papers were dailies, with four democratic dailies, and two socialist, the remainder being republican. The large number of independent papers politically is declared to be a notable feature of the publication situation in Wisconsin.

In 1913 there were 297 papers listed as republican, 103 named as democratic, 174 as independent, three socialist, two prohibition and one anti-prohibition.

Six Wisconsin cities have more than one daily publication, including Milwaukee with seven dailies, Sheboygan, Kenosha, Madison, Manitowish and Racine each have two dailies.

Thos. Markos & Bros.

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES.
Phone 1247-M. 901 So. Seventh St.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Lard, Saturday special,	13c
per pound	
Fresh Creamery Butter,	38c
per pound	
Fresh Peaberry Roasted	21c
Coffee, per pound	
Fresh Buttercup Roasted	32c
Coffee, per pound	
Tall can Alaska Pink Sal-	13c
mon, at	
Half pound can Red Sal-	15c
mon at	
Corn, No. 2 can standard	10c
brand, at	
Tall can Silver Buckle	12c
Milk, at	
Campbell's Beans, at per	10c
per can	
Beech White Naptha	4 for 25c
laundry soap	
White Flyer laundry	6 for 25c
soap, large bar	
Palmolive Soap,	3 for 25c
at	
Pure Cane Sugar, 5	35c
lbs., Saturday at	
Children's Hostery, at per	15c
pair	
Ladies' Cotton Hose, spe-	10c
cial at per pair	
Men's Cotton Hose, at per	10c
pair	
Ladies' Silk Hose, \$1.25	75c
value, Saturday, pair	
Ladies' Mercerized Hose,	45c
special at per pair	
Special line of Georgette and	
Crope de Chine Waists.	

MIGHT BE HIS CHANGE

"The college graduate," said President Hibben, of Princeton, at a tea—"the college graduate sets out from college to conquer the world. Yes, he sets out with a very big opinion of himself, but he soon gets taken down. A college graduate, the day after commencement, swaggers into a bank and asked to see the president. He was told to wait in an anteroom, where a small boy was chewing gum. 'Boy,' he said, after a bit, 'do you know if there's an opening in the bank for a college graduate?'"

The boy, chewing grimly, answered:

"There will be if dey don't slip de

extra five-spot wat I'm askin' for in me next pay envelope, see?"—Washing-
ton Star.

SOAP SALE

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We have a large supply and will sell at the following prices while it lasts.

Large Ivory	12 1/2c
Small Ivory	7 1/2c
Lenox	4 1/2c
Santa Claus	4c
P. & G. White Naptha	6c
Bob White	6c
Flake White	6c
Crystal White	6c
Kirk's Hard Water	7 1/2c
Jap Rose	7 1/2c
Small Gold Dust	14c
Large Gold	28c
Kitchen Klenzer	6c
Dutch Cleanser	10c
Lux	11c

Soaps not delivered alone.

Butter - 39c

We ran short last Saturday but expect to have plenty this Saturday.

SMALE'S

Order Early. Phone 392.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Butter, fresh creamery,	37c
per pound	
Lard, best grade pure	13 1/2c
lard, pound	
Brazil Nuts, new crop,	22c
extra fine quality, lb.	
Oranges, special, 30c	25c
size, at per dozen	

Cookies—Special sale of Sunshine Cookies, assorted Marshmallow Cakes, 1-pound box 35c 2-pound box 65c Kiddie Special Cookies, per pound 21c

Sardines, imported, packed in pure olive oil, at per can 12 1/2c

Soups, Campbell's assorted, can 10c

Malt Extract, Ideal brand, with hops, can 65c

Watermelon, medium size sugar melons, priced at each 7c to 10c

Sand-Flush, at per can 21c

Soap, P. & G. White Naptha 4 bars 25c

ALL DELIVERIES FREE.

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WATCH a group of children play, and you can pick out those who eat Bread in abundance.

You'll know them by their rosier cheeks and more abounding vitality. You won't have to urge them to eat

EAT-WELL BREAD

It's so good and delicious—every slice a storehouse of health and energy. Ask your grocer for EAT-WELL.

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Little girls like you who play "catchers" and "tag" all day run into the house often asking bread-and-butter.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS

Olives, quart jars, (large Queen)	49c
Brooms, a good one, for	37c
Karo, 10-pound pail Blue Label, for	50c
Karo, 10-pound pail Red Label for	55c
Salt, 10-pound sack, for table use, for	22c
Mothers Macaroni, Creametts or Spaghettis, 3 pks. at	23c
Lux, special at per package	10c
Gold Dust, large package, for	29c
P. & G. White Naptha soap, 5 bars for	33c

FRESH WARD'S CAKES, NOW, 15c.

Where the Dollar Brings the Most on SATURDAY

Mutton Leg Roast, per pound	20c
Mutton Shoulder, per pound	18c
Mutton Stew, per pound	6c
Beef Liver, per pound	10c
Pig Liver, at per pound	8c
Beef Steak, per pound	20c
Beef Roast, per pound	15c
Veal Stew, per pound	12 1/2c
Veal Steak, at per pound	20c
Pork Shoulder, Roast, pound	18c

CHOICE SAUSAGES OF EVERY KIND.

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Phone 1831-Green.

932 Caledonia Street.

Save Money---Buy at BUEHLER BROS.

Saturday Bargains

Soup Meat, per lb.—	8c	Fresh Picnic Hams, lb.	12 1/2c
Pork Shank, per lb.—	10c	Beef Roast, per lb.—	12 1/2c
Sausage Meat, per lb.	10c	Pork Shoulder Roast, per lb.—	15c
Hamburger, per lb.—	10c	Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb.—	16c
Veal Breast to fill, lb.	12c	Summer Sausage, lb.	18c

308 Main Street.

I Have Opened a STATE ROAD STORE

AND WILL WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Meat, Sausage, Fish and Groceries

I will be glad to serve all old as well as new patrons.

WITH EACH \$1.00 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE ON SATURDAY I WILL GIVE AN 8-OZ. BOTTLE OF LIBBY'S MUSTARD.

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Glad Tu Meat Chu

Plenty of choice, Spring Chickens and a nice lot of Fat Hens all nicely dressed, early Saturday morning.

Choice Spring Chickens, lb. 33c Nice Fat Hens, per pound 30c

Veal Hearts, per pound	10c	Beef Liver, per pound	10c
Pork Kidneys, per pound	10c	Beef Hearts, per pound	10c
Beef Kidneys, per pound	10c	Salt Pork, per pound	10c
Pork Snouts, per pound	10c	Nice Soup Meat, pound	10c

Bacon Squares, per lb. 12 1/2c

Pork Shanks, per pound	11c	Beef Stew, at per pound	10c
Spare Ribs, per pound	11c	Roller Corned Beef, pound	15c
Pork Pot Roast, pound	18c	Nice Beef Roast, pound—	12 1/2c and 18c
Pork Steak, per pound	22c	Tender Beef Steak, per pound	18c
Small Pork Chops, pound	30c	Soup Bones, at per pound	3c

Roller Beef Rib Roast, lb. 18c-25c

Nice Lean Sliced Sugar Cured Bacon, per pound—25c, 35c and 45c	19c	Strip Bacon, sugar cured medium fat, whole or half, pound	30c
Picnic Hams, per pound	18c	Best cut Pork Loin Roast, pound	30c

PLENTY OF EXTRA CHOICE VEAL.

JEHLEN'S

Phone 236

121 So. Third St.



SPECIALS THAT SAVE YOU MONEY.

Shredded Wheat, special at	12c
Puffed Wheat, at per package	12c
Puffed Rice, at per package	14c
Mazola Oil, quart cans, at	54c
Wesson Oil, pint cans, at	27c
Sardines, in pure olive oil, 2 cans for California Sardines, in tomato sauce, at	25c
Instant Postum—Large size, at	38c
Small size, at	23c
Campbell's Soups, at per can	10c
Raisins, Del Monte	26c
Sweet Mixed Pickles, per jar	15c
Olives, pint jars, at per jar	25c
Pecano Condensed Milk, special at can	14c
Evaporated Milk, at per can	10c

Grand Union Tea Co.

The Quality First Store.
126 So. 5th St.

Not Cheap Meat, but GOOD Meat CHEAP

For Saturday Only

Picnic Hams, per pound	20c	Veal Loaf, per pound	18c
Bacon, per pound	28c	Hamburger, per pound	18c
Roasts, any kind, pound	25c	Summer Sausage, lb.	18c
Sausage Meat, per pound	18c	Pork Liver, per pound	5c

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15th and Marker Streets.

Phone 222.

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FRATERNAL NOTICES

U. C. T.

There will be a regular meeting of La Crosse Council No. 94, U. C. T. Saturday evening, Aug. 27, at 8:00. Oddfellows' hall, 118 So. 4th St. Initiation and other important business to be transacted.

OLF ELBERTSON, Sec.
ALFRED HOEL, S. C.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Life insurance collector. Call room 9, Bismarck National Bank Bldg., Aug. 27, a. m. 2072-R.

Boys, 12 years or over, for carrier routes. Apply The La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press office.

PRINTERS

OPEN SHOP COMPOSING ROOMS. REPRESENTING 200,000 THEATRICALS. ALL WANTED are rebuilding their organizations, and man desire PERMANENT POSITIONS should avail themselves of the opportunity. We have openings for—

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to replace men who have vacated their positions and are now on strike. Permanent positions, good wages, excellent working conditions. Write THE PRINTING PRINTERS ASSOCIATION, 3319 Majestic Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Women as cottage maids. Salary \$35 per month with maintenance, board, room and laundry. If efficient, salary increased to \$30 and \$35 per month. Address L. H. Krohn, Supl. State Public School, 120 So. 7th St., La Crosse, Wis.

LADY TO ASSIST on alterations. An experienced sewer, preferred. Apply to Mr. Boehm, The Continental Clothing Co. 323 1/2

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to help with household work. Mrs. E. Baugartner, La Crosse, Minn., 826 27

WANTED—Competent girl. One who can go home nights preferred. Mrs. E. Baugartner, La Crosse, Minn., 826 27

WANTED—Competent maid for kitchen and laundry. Mrs. E. Baugartner, La Crosse, Minn., 826 27

WANTED—Two experienced hotel waitresses. Hotel Sidney, Sparta, Wis. 826 27

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Mrs. E. Baugartner, La Crosse, Minn., 826 27

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WANTED—Office girl for clerical work. A. B. this office. 826 27

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. E. Baugartner, La Crosse, Minn., 826 27

WANTED—Dishwasher. Park Hotel, La Crosse, Wis. 826 27

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WANTED—Standard Hotel. 826 27

COUNTER GIRL—217 No. 3rd. 826 27

Help Wanted—Male and Female

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE MAN OR WOMAN

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Two want representatives of ability, energy and ambition to sell our products house to house; active demand already established.

Guaranteed salary and commission. Write Mr. Maynard, 1444 W. 27th street, Chicago.

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FOR SALE—10 lots, southeast corner 21st and Main Sts. All graded. Also sewer, water and gas. Inquire H. O. Becking, 307 Cedar St. 826 27

MODERN 7-room cottage. Can take possession at once. Inquire at 1324 Park Ave. Phone 326 or 1354-M. 826 27

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at Drexel, Minn. Equipped for both summer and winter. Very large new screened porch. French doors, hardwood floors, extra large sleeping porch on second floor, double garage, fine lawn and shade trees, fine scenery. Finest location on the Mississippi river, main automobile highway between La Crosse and Minneapolis. Twenty-five minutes' drive to La Crosse. Fred Leibold, 325 Main street, La Crosse.

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FOR SALE—Two small houses on one lot. Call 103 N. 2nd St. 826 27

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FOR SALE—Cows or heifers wanted in exchange for 80 acres. Henry Co. Iowa. Will carry balance good loan on 80 acres. For description write to J. W. Winkler, R. F. D. Brighton, La. 826 27

FOR SALE—Cheap. Several rebuilt engines from 12 to 4 horse power. Also a number of DeLaval Cream Separators in first-class condition. Starch Brothers Co. 826 27

FOR SALE—Kamall player. Piano. Standard make. Photographs. As part payment. Phone 147-R. 826 27

FOR SALE—Launch, built 1917. 40 horse power. 1200 cc. motor. Electric starter. Top cost \$600. Will sell for \$350. Address W. C. Carg, Tribune. 826 27

FOR SALE—Twin cylinder 4 horse power. 1200 cc. motor. Electric starter. Top cost \$600. Will sell for \$350. Address W. C. Carg, Tribune. 826 27

HOUSEHOLD furniture for sale. Must sell within one week. Leaving city. Call 103 N. 2nd St. 826 27

FOR SALE—5, 10 or 15 gallons. La Crosse Iron and Metal Co. 826 27

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FOR SALE—Johnson motor wheel attached to bicycle. H. S. Burroughs. 826 27

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LIGHT delivery horse. Bargain. 1000-A. Call 1507. 826 27

FOR SALE—Hard coal heater in good condition. 714 So. 6th. 826 27

BARN USED as double garage. Also electric light. 1112 So. 2nd. 826 27

FOR SALE—Combination gas and coal range. Call 1058-C. 826 27

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, range and oil stove. 127 N. 7th. 826 27

FOR SALE—All household furniture. 120 So. 7th. 826 27

UPRIGHT Schubert piano, ebony case. 1406 Pine. 826 27

FOR SALE—Phone. 404 No. 15th. 826 27

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FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms with bath. 534 So. 6th. 826 27

MODERN light housekeeping rooms. Also sleeping rooms. Over 200. 826 27

THREE or four rooms furnished or unfurnished. 1112 So. 2nd. 826 27

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LARGE well furnished room. 119 So. 9th. 826 27

FURNISHED room for rent. 234 State. 826 27

Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED—Place in good family by school girl, 14 years old, where she can assist with housework for room and board. Write Box 457, La Crosse, and board. 826 27

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WANTED—Two rooms with kitchenette for light housekeeping. 826 27

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6-room house, north side preferred. Phone 1200-A. 826 27

WANTED TO RENT—House, best references. Phone 1555-M. 826 27

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between La Crosse Theater and Tribune office, black purse and billfold. Return to Tribune for reward.

LOST—Between 7th and King 1st and Winnago, nurse's training school pla. Call 1744-1ed. 826 27

LOST—Saturday night, haberdashery for sale on Olaf and Holman. Call 534-C. 826 27

LOST—Dangle plug, white, black and red, about 10 months old. Reward. Phone 1151-M. 826 27

LOST—Two army army blankets. Owners name on end of each. Phone 726-M. 826 27

LOST—Wisconsin auto license No. 254-954 and tag light. Return to Blue Lumber Co. 826 27

LOST—Bunch keys. Reward. Return to Police. 826 27

LOST—Bulk buy cap. Reward. Phone 1202-A. 826 27

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COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 23, 1921. Regular meeting of the Board of Public Works. Mayor A. A. Bentley presiding. The city clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved.

Total amounts of bills ordered paid for the various departments are as follows:

Public Highway Department \$ 889.27
Health Department 1,940.20
Police Department 1,844.74
Fire Department 1,048.83
Water Department 3,371.03
Light Department 1,852.92
Grounds and buildings 920.73
Park Department 3,018.22
Bridge Department 2,277.27
Public Highway Department 15,750.16
Finance Department 4,703.32
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Report of the Board of Public Works. The Board of Public Works reported that the city had received a check for \$1,000.00 from the State of Wisconsin for the purpose of paying the city's share of the cost of the construction of the new water main between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Resolution to appropriate \$500 for the purpose of marking diagonal parking lines.

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PLAN GREAT PUBLIC FUNERAL IN LONDON FOR VICTIMS OF ZR-2 DISASTER OF WEDNESDAY

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—The American and British victims of the disaster to the ZR-2 at Hull will be accorded a great public funeral probably in London, it is considered certain. The air ministry Thursday had the project under advisement.

Meanwhile all England, profoundly stirred by the destruction of the giant dirigible—the greatest of all air disasters—is giving expression to its deep feeling of mourning for the victims and sympathy for those bereaved.

It was at Howden, Hull, Leeds and neighboring towns where lived the wives and relatives of many of the men whose lives were snuffed out by the disaster, that the loss was most keenly felt. In these places, too, were the English brides of nine of the American enlisted men who came to England for the trans-ocean flight.

As the dirigible was still British property, not having yet been turned over to the American authorities, all investigations of the calamity will be supervised by the British air ministry.

The impression made upon the public was reflected in newspapers Thursday morning all of them expressing profound sympathy for the relatives of the men who met death, regret over the loss of the majestic vessel and thankfulness over the narrow escape of the town of Hull from a terrible calamity.

Pending the inquiry attempts to account for the tragedy are speculative, but it is revealed during a nine-hour trial trip on July 17 some of the dangers in the middle of the ZR-2 showed signs of weakness. The work of reinforcement was done immediately at Howden and experts believed that the weakness in the structure of the airship had been remedied. It is regarded significant, however, that observers below have declared that there was a buckling amidships which seemed to precede the explosions which sent the ZR-2 flaming to the earth. It is suggested that something was still lacking to make the frame of the dirigible perfectly rigid.

new pile drivers are at work in a canal being constructed near New Orleans, La., which will be a great convenience to the shipping of the lower Mississippi.

TOMAH WILL BUY PLAYGROUND SITE WITH BUCKLEY CASH

Simmonson Property Containing Several Acres and Beautiful Grove to Be Bought

TOMAH, Wis.—The common council of this city voted at its last meeting to spend the remaining \$5,450 of the estate left by the late Dr. Ernest Buckley, in the purchase of what is known as the Simmonson property to be used as a public playground and park. The property includes the old Milwaukee railroad hospital operated by Dr. J. Simmonson for many years previous to his death, several acres of land, many outbuildings and a beautiful grove. The property was sold to the city of Tomah by Mrs. Marion Simmonson who is at present residing in Chicago. Dr. Buckley was a native of Tomah and bequeathed to this city the sum of \$10,000 to be used either for library or playground purposes. Of that sum, one-half was spent when the new city library was built. It is known as the Buckley Memorial library. The recently purchased property will also bear the name of the donor of the money used in its purchase. Buckley park will be fitted up in the near future, with up-to-date playground apparatus and will become a veritable "community center." The first use of Buckley park will occur on Labor day, September 5, when a community picnic and celebration will be held there.

For the first time Monroe county is to be represented this year at the state fair teachers' camp, nine teachers starting on Saturday morning for Milwaukee.

County Superintendent of Schools Harriet Hutson has made all arrangements and is personally responsible for the interest of those attending. Included in the list of teachers who are to enjoy this splendid treat offered by Wisconsin to all interested in educational work are, Supervising Teachers Katherine Rothbauer and Ollie Swanson, Vera Griswold and Isla Dickenson, Tomah; Clara and Augusta Hanson, Sparta; Ruth McCabe, Melvin; Edith Hestly, Leon.

DO KINDLY ACT GRACEFULLY

Manners are the ornaments of action; and there is a way of speaking a kind word, or of doing a kind thing, which greatly enhances their value. What seems to be done with a grudge, or as an act of condescension, is scarcely accepted as a favor. Yet there are men who pride themselves upon their gruffness; and though they may possess virtue and capacity, their manner is often such as to render them almost insupportable.—Samuel Smiles.

By an improvement recently made in the construction of the pile driver, it is made to drive piles either vertically or at an angle. "Batter" piling the latter is called, and is demanded in some kinds of soil. The

ACTIVITY OF FOOD INSPECTION BUREAU COVERS THE STATE

Wisconsin System is Declared the Most Thorough of Any State in the Union

MADISON, Wis.—Activities of the dairy and food department under Commissioner J. Q. Binery extend to every locality in the state and provide for the most widespread inspectional system of any state department.

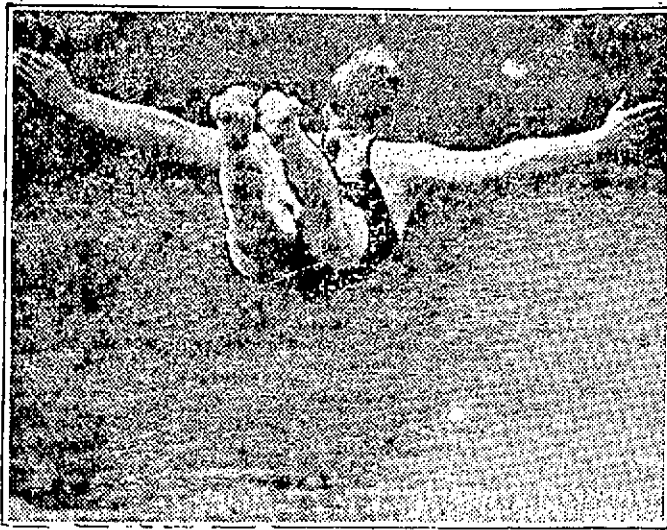
During the past year the commissioner has had supervision over 2,752 cheese factories, 762 butter factories, 66 condenseries, 348 receiving stations, 126 canning factories, 945 bakeries, 515 confectionaries, 47 cold storage warehouses and approximately 15,000 grocery stores.

Investigations into cold storage houses during the past year are said to have shown that many food products, especially fish, have been held in storage for a longer period than the twelve months allowed by statute. It was also found that not all operators of cold storage warehouses are properly marking the foods as they enter cold storage.

The weights and measures department during the year inspected 11,288 establishments and tested 107,426 appliances of which 103,000 were sealed.

Of course, Lenin and Trotsky are not among the starving.

"SPREAD EAGLE!"



Harold Clark is starting "spread eagle" fashion, but he won't hit the water like that. He's the champion diver of England, who has been winning new laurels in France.

Engineers of Rome plan to build buildings to solve the housing problem. American type houses on flat roofs of 100 ft.

STATE FAIR TO BE THE BIGGEST YET HELD

MANY IMPROVEMENTS IN THE GROUNDS AND PLANS AT MILWAUKEE

WISCONSIN'S great state fair will open next Monday for six days and six nights, showing the greatest representation of the state's great industries and resources.

There is every indication that the attendance this year, weather permitting, will exceed 450,000 people. In fact, the goal has been set at 500,000, which is more than 100,000 over a year ago.

Unusual and numerous are the features for the fair. There will be special days for the children opening on Monday, followed by Tuesday for automobiles and interurban day. The state turns out on Wednesday to do honor to the fair, and on Thursday Milwaukee and labor join in the fair celebration. The livestock comes in for an inning on Friday, and the fair terminates with tractor and aviation day on Saturday. During the entire six nights of the fair, there will be band concerts, amusement programs in front of the grand stand composed of twenty-five circus and vaudeville acts, daring stunts by aviators whose planes will be ablaze with light, and concluding with the great fireworks spectacle of "Montezuma, or the Last Days of the Aztecs." Similar concerts, similar aviation thrills, similar amusement programs, similar circus acts, similar sideshows make up the day's card of entertainment.

Many Improvements
Improvements have been made, and are noticeable. There is a \$40,000 green mill as an added attraction. The grand stand has been enlarged to include 5,000 additional people. The stock pavilion has been transformed into an emporium of beauty, completely painted purple indoors and finished off with flags and pennants, at a cost of \$15,000, now recognized as the largest horse show amphitheater in America. Tons of paint have made a fairyland of the building. Electric arches and flag arches will abound. Nearly one million electric lights will turn night into day. It will be Wisconsin's greatest show.

Continuing the panorama, one will see horses of every description with a valuation attached to them of \$1,000,000. Here one will see the Percherons, Clydesdales, Belgians and heavy draft teams. Then there will be the Shetland ponies by hundreds, and premiums in this department alone will total more than \$25,000. The Percheron Society of America is putting up specials this year at the fair.

Horse Shoe Society Event
The horse show will see society of Milwaukee occupying box seats around the amphitheater. Twice as many entries as last year have been listed for this fair, and there will be prizes for ladies' turnouts, "runabout" ponies, tandems, four-in-hands, saddle horses, high school horses, hunters and jumpers, hackneys, etc. It is significant that the fair takes cognizance of stable decorations and has put up a prize of \$100.

The cattle barns will house 1,500 cattle with a valuation of more than \$1,500,000. The famous herds of the

state will be represented, and scores of exhibitors have come from other states to vie with Wisconsin's best cattle for the premiums which total more than \$11,000. Here one will see the Shorthorns, Herefords, Holsteins, Guernseys, Jerseys and other breeds. There will be milk testing contests and prizes will be given on the strength of milk testing results, and to wind up, there will be county cattle exhibits with special prizes of \$2,000.

Every variety of sheep will be shown in the sheep barns, including the fine wool breeds and the mutton breeds, and here again Wisconsin will present its best in competition with the world. It has been generally admitted throughout the country that the sheep exhibited at the Wisconsin State fair are the leaders. Pigs and swine are not overlooked, and more than \$11,000 will be distributed through the week. The Wisconsin Poultry and Pigeon Breeders' association is taking an important part in the exposition and has appointed a promotion show committee consisting of Burle Dobson, Dell Danks and J. F. Diley.

Thousands will flock to the poultry sheds where one will see all varieties of chickens, waterfowl and turkeys. More than \$2,000 will be distributed to the poultry crowd, and to encourage the breeding of rabbits and pigeons, added amounts have been put up by the fair to insure representative exhibits. The sum of \$425 will be apportioned off among rabbit farmers, and more than \$800 for the pigeon breeders.

Every County in Show
But the horses and cattle are only one small item of the big fair. There will be exhibits of farm crops and every county of the state will have special displays. There will be judges of grains, corn, grasses and the like, and special judges of potatoes and vegetables.

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HOW TO TELL THE TRUTH

Speaking of moving picture actors, a good story is told of one who was suing a company for breach of contract. When asked by the court why he claimed so large a sum, he replied, "It is because I am the greatest in the world."

A few days later some of his friends badgered him about the mighty high opinion of himself expressed in the statement. "I know it must have sounded somewhat conceited," he explained, "but I was under oath, so what could I do?"—Boston Transcript.

BODY OF STRANGER

TAKEN FROM RIVER

MENOMINEE, Mich.—The body of an unidentified man was taken from the Menominee river Thursday near the Ann Harbor dock. The man was about six feet tall and had apparently been in the water about ten days, according to police. His face bore numerous bruises, the police said.

Simplicity of Character
Simplicity of character is the natural result of profound thought.—Hazlitt.

THOUSAND DOCTORS ARE LICENSED TO PRESCRIBE LIQUOR

MADISON, Wis.—Over \$15,000 in cash has been taken by the prohibition commission up to the present time, from permits granted doctors and druggists to prescribe intoxicating liquor. One thousand and ten doctors and 503 druggists have been authorized to fill prescriptions.

Returns from soft drink establishments which are required to pay 10 per cent of their license fee to the state treasury, will bring the total collections of the department to much over the \$60,000 allowed to carry on its functions, according to the commission.

All fines collected under the prohibition enforcement law are turned in to the school fund. During the first six months of the year nearly \$150,000 was received from this source, with the amount increasing monthly up to the present.

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